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## Seek Permission To Attack Nation-Wide Prohibition

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—Permission to institute original proceedings to have the national prohibition amendment declared unconstitutional and New Jersey and federal authorities enjoined from enforcing it, was asked of the supreme court today by the Retail Liquor Dealers' Association of New Jersey.

This was the first question as to the validity of the constitutional amendment to reach the supreme court. George W. Tucker, of New York, presented the motion, together with a brief prepared by the association, and the court will announce later whether permission to institute the suit will be granted.

In addition to enforcing enforcement of the eighth amendment, the association also would ask an injunction against enforcement of the Volstead prohibition enforcement act.

Defendants named in the proceedings were the state of New Jersey, which refused to ratify the constitutional amendment, Attorney General

## OFFICIALS PROBE LEAKS ON SUPREME COURT EDICTS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—Department of justice officials continued today its investigation of reports of alleged "leaks" on supreme court decisions, which were being used as tips for stock speculation.

A minor official of the department and an attaché of the supreme court were implicated in the charges but Captain Burke, chief of the bureau of investigation of the justice department, declared that so far no basis for charges has been discovered.

In a verbal statement last night, Captain Burke said that a "Mr. B. E. Moses," with offices in the Munsey building, Washington, had been reported by Martin Pew, manager of the International News Service, for an alleged attempt to secure financial backing from a friend of Pew to play the stock market on advance information of supreme court decisions.

"Moses told Pew's friend," Captain Burke said, "that he had been doing this for some time but he did not have sufficient funds to make the profit he might make if he had financial backing. The friend of Pew insisted that before he could get the finances which Moses desired, he would have to be convinced that advance information on the supreme court decision was absolutely reliable."

Moses told him that on November 19 the man who furnished him with information was employed in the department being made by the department of justice in Washington.

Moses was interrogated by William Flynn, director of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, Captain Burke said, and declared that he was getting his information from a minor official of the department of justice as was claimed, or that the latter was getting it in turn from an attaché of the supreme court. Moses, according to Burke said, he had made his deductions on the future movements of the stock as any lawyer might have done from the general information on the "Southern Pacific" case. He denied there was a leak in the supreme court.

Captain Burke said the official in question holds a minor position in the department of justice and that he denies he knew any one in the supreme court who would give out any such information or that he had been in any such deals as were charged.

"The attaché of the supreme court denies also that he had any connection with the affair and there is nothing to show that he did," Captain Burke added.

However, he said, the investigation will be continued.

James D. Maher, clerk of the supreme court, denied today that there was any "leak" in his office on the court's prohibition decision yesterday and he said he knew nothing of an informant of justice. "There was no leak here. If there was any leak," Mr. Maher said.

## 700 PINTS OF WHISKEY STOLEN

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Dec. 16.—Seven hundred pints of whiskey were stolen last night from the West Virginia Capital here. The whiskey had been confiscated by the state prohibition department and was stored in lockers in the state house until legal disposition could be made of it.

## POSTPONE CONTEMPT CHARGE HEARING

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Dec. 16.—Charges of contempt of court against 84 officials of the United Mine Workers of America, with one exception, were continued this morning by United States District Judge A. E. Anderson until such a date as it is deemed advisable to bring the cases again before the court. The exception is the charge against Alexander Howat, president of the Kansas district of the mine workers, who is charged with continued violation of the court's injunction against furtherance of the strike.

Attorneys for Howat, who is under \$10,000 bond, were instructed to have him appear in court next Monday.

The motion for continuance of the charges of contempt was made by Henry Warrum, general counsel for the United Mine Workers, and was concurred in by the government. The attorneys took the position that resumption of operation and return to work of miners in compliance with the agreement here last week, constituted compliance with the court's order for ending the strike. Judge Anderson said he was unwilling to continue the cases indefinitely and indicated that they probably would be called up again within a week or two for a report as to whether the miners were continuing in their obedience of the injunction.

## WOULD FORCE DEPORTATION OF RADICALS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—A bill defining radicalism and designed primarily, Chairman Johnson said, to force the department of labor to arrest and deport all alien members of the I. W. W. and kindred organizations, was reported to the house today by the immigration committee.



Under the bill, any alien who is a member of, contributes to, loans money to or is affiliated with any organization preaching, advocating or forwarding the teaching of anarchy, the overthrow of organized government, the killing of or assault upon any government official or the unlawful damage to or destruction of property, would be liable to arrest and deportation. No overt act must be proved in order to bring about deportation as the bill provides that mere membership in or any affiliation with radical organizations shall be a deportable offense.

Explaining that the purpose of the measure "was to make the letter and intent of the law plain and unmistakable," Chairman Johnson said that under existing law mere membership in the I. W. W. did not constitute grounds for arrest and deportation.

## UNFAVORABLE REPORT ON REPEAL OF PROHIBITION ACT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—An unfavorable report on the bill to repeal the war time prohibition law was ordered today by the house agriculture committee by a vote of 16 to 3. Representatives John T. Rainey, Democrat, Illinois, and Volgt, Wisconsin, and Ward, New York, Republicans, cast the negative votes.

## TO STIMULATE EXPORT TRADE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—The senate adopted today the conference report on the Edge bill, authorizing organization of corporations to extend credit in Europe to stimulate export trade. No record vote was taken and the measure now goes to the president.

## STEALS WINE WITH SIPHON

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—An ingenious thief here stole nine barrels of sacramental wine by siphoning it from the basement where it was stored by means of a 75-foot pipe to an adjoining cellar.

## 1,300 BRITISH TROOPS IN PERSIA SLAIN, REPORT

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Fourteen hundred British troops in Persia have been wiped out by the hostile population, it is claimed in a Moscow wireless message reaching here today. The troops, the dispatch says, comprised the garrison of the town of Meshad (possibly Meshed), northeastern Persia, northwest of Herat, Afghanistan.

## PROPOSES COMPULSORY PROTECTION OF EMPLOYEES

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 16.—Attorney General John G. Price, submitted to the general assembly today drastic amendments to the Ohio Workmen's Compensation law, having for their purpose the compulsory protection of all employees. His amendments would force out of business concerns that do not at all times afford protection to employees.

In a letter transmitting the proposed amendments to "Senator Frank E. Whittemore, Price points out that since January 1 his department has collected between \$80,000 and \$90,000 in delinquent premiums and calls attention to the fact that while these concerns were delinquent their employees were without protection.

"It is generally supposed," says Price, "that the workmen of Ohio are assured compensation for injuries sustained in the course of their employment under the law as it stands. This is by no means the case, as has been proven by the sad experiences of many workmen.

"There has been in the past flagrant disregard of the purpose and spirit of the law," Price continued, "and it is my opinion that this situation should not be allowed to continue for one day longer than is required to find a remedy for it.

"A man goes to work in a mine or factory, believing in perfect good faith that he is protected, and it is only after he has had his eyes blown out, lost an arm or a leg, or suffered some other serious injury, that he may be brought face to face with the fact that his employer has not complied with the law, a finding of the amount due him is made by the industrial commission and it is referred to the attorney general for collection. It is often found that the employer is not financially responsible. In such cases the consequences fall upon the injured workman and these dependent upon him.

"The amendment would require employers to give bond sufficient to pay any compensation awarded or face re-employment proceedings. His business might be thrown into hands of a receiver if he defaults in payment of premiums.

"No employer who is complying with the spirit of the present law, will be affected by the amendment," said Price. "Those only who are seeking to escape their obligations to society will feel its consequences. An employer who does

## URGE COMPLETE GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF NATION'S SUGAR

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—Fearing that the public was threatened with "sky-high" prices for sugar, members of both branches of congress here urged the house agriculture committee to provide complete government control of prices and distribution. The committee agreed to take formal action today on the proposal to eliminate from the McNary bill the provision repealing the licensing power of the government.

At the same time the house interstate commerce committee had before it a bill, which would place an embargo on all sugar exports.

Purchase of the Cuban crop, advocates of the bill declared, would not relieve the sugar shortage and drastic steps must be taken to protect the consuming public.

The McNary bill was passed last week by the senate, and its supporters fear if it is amended it cannot be finally adopted before the holiday recess.

## Hines Offers New Plan On Return Of Railroads

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—New recommendations from Director General Hines as to the return of the railroads to private control are before President Wilson. Neither Mr. Hines nor White House officials will say what the recommendations are or whether they advocate a departure from the president's announced purpose to return the roads by January 1. It has been there any indication as to when the president will issue a proclamation surrendering the roads of a change in his plans.

Some administration officials believe the return of railroad legislation in congress will be a determining factor in whether it is done. Many officials think it would be disastrous industrially to surrender the roads without adequate provision to meet their changed needs.

Meanwhile, however, preparations are being forward at the railroad administration for turning the roads back to private control with the decision announced by President Wilson in his message to congress last May. Many are ordered on contract are being made as far as possible before the new year. Office contracts for the railroad administration contain clauses release so they can be renewed at any time without great expense.

Some of the roads would make little difference in actual operation since the steel strike has left a staff in reserve, there would be no change. The legal and administrative changes of the railroad act probably will be material when the roads are returned to private control, but officials said.

## EARLY REPORT EXPECTED ON PAPER BILL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—An early report by the house post office committee on the Anthony bill, designed to conserve the newsprint paper supply by limiting to 24 pages daily newspapers and periodicals using the second class mail privileges, was expected today.

Executive sessions of the committee beginning today, will be held until a recommendation is agreed upon, after which members planned a prompt report to the house.

Hearings on the bill were closed yesterday at which representatives of the smaller newspapers told the committee that unless use of print paper by the big city dailies could be curtailed thousands of publications in small cities and towns would be forced out of business. Those appearing in behalf of the metropolitan papers opposed the bill and declared that restrictions on the size of publications as proposed would not materially aid the smaller newspapers, but would work a great, if not unworkable, hardship on the larger publications.

## AMERICAN SUFFERED NO HARSHIPS

EAGLE PASS, TEXAS, Dec. 16.—Fred G. Hays, of 12 Pace ranch, near Marquis, Mexican state of Coahuila, declared today that he suffered "no hardships" in connection with his detention by the Villa force that raided Marquis a week ago. Hays reached here late last night.

## COAL OUTPUT NEAR NORMAL

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Production of bituminous coal today rapidly approached normal. Throughout the country reports indicated from 90 to 95 percent of the mines, either at work or ready to enter the mines as soon as they are put in shape for operation. In only a few instances were local reports as still idle waiting for a further adjustment of wages.

Of the large producing fields, Indiana appeared to be closest to normal in the matter of coal mined, although reports from Illinois, Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia showed that production was rapidly on the increase.

Virtually all restrictions on use of fuel, made necessary by the forty day strike, had been relaxed today.

While other cities resumed normal business hours, and factories began full time work instead of the three-day week the coal shortage caused, Spokane, Washington and Boise, Idaho, found it necessary to maintain the fuel saving rules.

Severely cold weather, moderating, however, still prevailed over most of the middle, south and northwest.

In the midwestern shipments of coal from the mines today were made on express train schedule. After 2 o'clock this morning even passenger trains gave way to the rush of coal filled gondolas.

## COAL OUTPUT NEAR NORMAL

not comply with the law of the state and protect his employees, should not be permitted to operate in defiance of it, and it is my belief that the law should be amended so as to make it possible to enforce compliance with it.

## HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

DAT SHO LOOKS LAK  
A MIGHTY LIL HAH  
FUH TWO-BITS, BUT  
AH RECKN DE COOK  
KNOW HOW MUCH O'  
DE STUFF HITS SAFE  
FUH YOU T' EAT!!



## BANK ROBBERS BURN MONEY WITH TORCHES; MAKE HAUL

NEWARK, O., Dec. 16.—Robbers last night used acetylene torches to burn their way into the vaults of the Johnstown bank, escaping with \$8,000 in cash and some bonds. Between \$1,000 and \$5,000 in currency was destroyed by the flames of the torches.

Benjamin Cuth, on his way home from a lodge meeting, was seized by the robbers, taken into the bank, bound, gagged and blindfolded. He was kept prisoner during the operations of the robbery. The janitor found Cuth when the bank was opened this morning.

The robbers stole the acetylene outfit from a Newark garage. Police and county officials were told that an automobile believed to have been used by the robbers in their getaway was seen at Alexandria early this morning and later at Jacksontown.

Robbers cut the telephone cables in five places before going to work, and when Cuth was set free it was some time before telephone communication with Newark could be established.

C. L. McCrack, cashier of the bank, and Congressman W. A. Ashbrook are sole owners of the institution.

Police Chief James Sheridan, of Newark, who investigated the robbery this morning, stated that in addition to the money taken the robbers secured a collection of old coins and money owned by Congressman Ashbrook, and which he valued at \$40,000. Much of the old money was in gold and silver. Congressman Ashbrook also had placed in the vault a large quantity of solid silver tableware from his home. A quantity of silverware owned by the congressman's nephew, also was stolen.

Sheridan said the bank officials could place no estimate on the amount of currency destroyed by the flames of the torches.

## EVASION OF SAFETY LAWS, CHARGED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—Evasion of laws to promote the safety of passengers and employees was charged to the railroads of the United States today by W. P. Harland, chief of the bureau of safety of the interstate commerce commission in his annual report. In the case of the hours of service law, which prohibits train operators from remaining on duty more than 10 hours except in extraordinary circumstances, Mr. Harland's report declared, managing officers apparently had given their sanction to evasions, "to such an extent as to defeat the purposes of the law."

Railroad companies were said to have paid "compensatory little attention to the maximum requirement of the law," regarding safety appliances. "They were said to have contented themselves with meeting the minimum, which orders that 85 percent of the cars in any train shall be equipped with power brakes, disregarding the maximum requirement that all cars so equipped must be connected and the brakes in operation. Hand brakes also were alleged still to be in use on some railroads for controlling trains on mountain grades, although the law specifies that trains must be controlled by power brakes.

On some roads employing the manual block signal system, it was said, dangerous practices were followed and violations to such an extent as to render the block system entirely useless.

## DROP 'MERCHANT OF VENICE'

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 16.—The board of education here decided to drop the study of Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice," in the local schools, on account of prejudice said to be created against Jews by the character of "Shylock."

## TO DISCUSS COMPENSATION

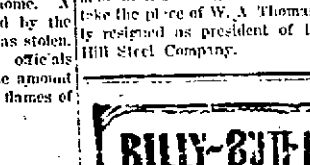
PARIS, Dec. 16.—German and allied experts met here this afternoon to discuss the mode of reparation to be followed by the Germans in payment for the sinking of German warships at Scapa Flow. The conference was presided over by Louis Loucheur, French representative on the reparation commission.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—A new German delegation arrived in Paris this morning to discuss compensation for the sinking of the German warships in Scapa Flow.

The delegation, which is presided over by Councillor Seelinger a member of the commercial department of the German foreign ministry, consists of Rudolph Brohm, representative of the Hamburg shipyards; Councillor Rieh, of the ministry of public works; Dr. Peter, director of the Hamburg-American line; Dr. Peters, director of the Weiser shipyards at Bremen, and Paul Muller, representing three groups of seamen.

## BILLY-BUT-IT

7 TIMES WEATHER MAY



EXPT.—Fair tonight and Wednesday, except probable snow flurries near Lake Erie. Continued cold.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 33; low, 16.

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With WALLACE REID and Star Cast  
COMING TOMORROW AND THURSDAY

## New Jurors Drawn

On the order of Judge Thomas, the names of 12 additional jurors were drawn from the wheel yesterday by Clerk of Courts Edward Cunningham and Sheriff Ricker in order to supplement the list of present petit jurors, several of whom were finally excused the past few days.

The new jurors who will be required to report Wednesday morning are: K. N. Nagel, Sclatoville; J. N. Dunson, Wheelersburg; Otto Zaelner, Wheelersburg; R. P. Selter, Clay Township; Jesse Johnson, Sclatoville; G. A. Crall, Alford; Ellis R. McGill, Buena Vista; W. T. Hare, New Boston; Charles Grice, 5th Court street; George P. Baug, 1243 Ninth street; Charles Weber, 1307 Gallia; Joseph Schell, 703 Highland street.

**MOTORCYCLE COP KILLED**  
DAYTON—J. F. Farinkopf, motorcycle policeman, dies from fractured skull when machine collided with a street car.



## The Ker Knit Hosiery House

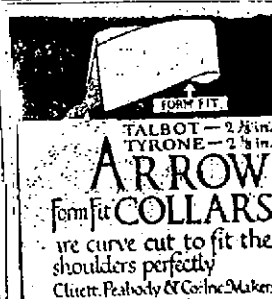
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Have you seen our line of Hosiery, Gloves, Belts, Suspenders, Collars, Ties, Cane-ter, Arm-Bands, etc. If not, come in and have a look. We are making special prices for Xmas. We carry the most complete line of hosiery in the city for Ladies, Misses, Children and Infants—all sizes and colors of hose. We are the house for silk hose. We buy direct from the mills and guarantee to save you money.

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Gus Kehr, Prop.Ker Knit Hosiery House  
1011 Gallia St., Selby Block

## FINED

Carleton Stroble, driver for the Blue Line Taxi Company, was fined \$25 and costs Monday night in police court on a charge of having driven an automobile without lights. Police charged him with having collided with an automobile belonging to James R. Dittel last Friday night, seriously damaging the Dittel machine. Mayor Rupp later suspended \$15 of the fine.

### Leave for Florida

Floyd Freeman and Arthur Weaver, N. & W. Bremen of Bremen left this morning for a trip which will carry them to Florida and points of interest in the sunny south. At Nocatee, Fla., they will visit for a few days with the latter's aunt Mrs. John McCormick, formerly of Waverley, Adams county, who has been residing in Florida for several years.

### See Pea-Cat at Arcana Friday

Prices 15c and 20c.

### Eight Coal Cars Derailed

Westbound N. & W. freight No. 1000 in charge of Conductor A. E. Moore and Engineer J. C. Stewart derailed eight cars of coal at Hanging Rock at 8:20 Sunday night, the deraiment being due to a broken arch bar on one of the cars.

Working crews from Kenova and Portsmouth cleared up the wreckage. Traffic was delayed about two hours as a result of the deraiment.

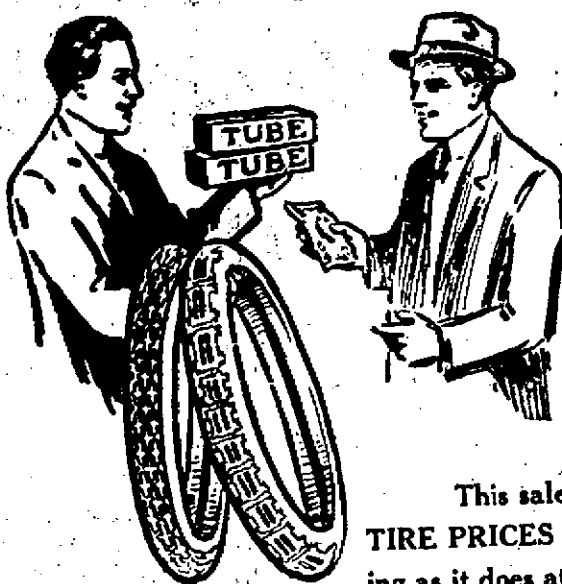
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Get busy and relieve these pains with that handy bottle of Sloan's Liniment

WHAT Sloan's does, it does thoroughly. It penetrates without rubbing to the aching part and promptly relieves all manner of external pains and aches. You'll find it handy for rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, over-exercised muscles, stiff joints, pains, sprains, strains, sprains, bad weather aches, etc.

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For About the Price of One

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## THIS OFFER IS GOOD ONLY FROM WEDNESDAY 17TH TO SATURDAY 20TH

Better Hurry—Altho, if we are out of your size, we will book order and have the tire in a day or two. THIS OFFER APPLIES TO EVERY MAKE OF TIRE IN THIS STORE including the different standard makes such as Goodrich, Sterling, Goodyear, Etc. THE SALESMAN WILL FIGURE ON THESE TIRES ON THE SAME BASIS.

### MARION TIRES

Guaranteed (In Writing) 4000 Miles

	(List Price)	Sale Price
2-23x3 Tires and Tubes	\$ 31.80	\$24.85
2-30x3 Tires and Tubes	38.80	26.17
2-30x3 1/2 Tires and Tubes	48.50	31.56
2-30x3 3/4 Tires and Tubes	56.50	36.82
2-31x4 Tires and Tubes	74.10	47.46
2-32x4 Tires and Tubes	75.60	48.03
2-33x4 Tires and Tubes	79.10	49.74
2-34x4 Tires and Tubes	80.00	51.77
2-34x4 1/2 Tires and Tubes	105.80	68.30
2-35x4 1/2 Tires and Tubes	111.20	72.38
2-36x4 1/2 Tires and Tubes	113.00	74.03
2-36x5 Tires and Tubes	130.10	83.25
2-37x5 Tires and Tubes	137.70	85.00

### PHARIS TIRES

Guaranteed (In Writing) 6000 Miles

	(List Price)	Sale Price
2-28x3 Tires and Tubes	\$ 36.50	\$24.50
2-30x3 Tires and Tubes	36.70	25.89
2-30x3 1/2 Tires and Tubes	51.10	31.61
2-32x3 1/2 Tires and Tubes	57.90	37.88
2-31x4 Tires and Tubes	77.90	46.35
2-32x4 Tires and Tubes	79.60	47.55
2-33x4 Tires and Tubes	81.30	50.85
2-34x4 Tires and Tubes	82.60	51.25
2-34x4 1/2 Tires and Tubes	109.70	68.67
2-35x4 1/2 Tires and Tubes	113.60	69.59
2-36x4 1/2 Tires and Tubes	115.20	71.44
2-36x5 Tires and Tubes	130.10	79.22
2-37x5 Tires and Tubes	136.50	81.00

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## DAVIS SWORN IN

New Boston's outgoing council held its final scheduled meeting last night and was busy the few minutes it was in session swearing in Mayor-elect J. Samuel Davis, Clerk Russell M. Hildreth, Marshal W. L. Davis, and two new councilmen, John Cullley and Thurman Emory. Bonds of the mayor-elect, clerk and marshal were approved. J. S. Davis' bond is \$2,000, Clerk M. Hildreth's \$1,000, and Marshal Davis, \$1,000. No bonds are put up by the councilmen.

The four other councilmen remaining to be sworn in are Raymond Hayslip, W. L. Lewis, J. V. Thom and Will McManis. The new treasurer, Herbert C. Ricker, will also be sworn in at a later meeting.

A special meeting will have to be called before the first of the year so the remaining new officials can be sworn in.

A schedule of bills was also allowed at last night's session.

## IRONTON GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE GAMBLING

IRONTON, Dec. 16.—The grand jury convened yesterday understood that this session of the jury was for the purpose of investigating the charges of gambling which will probably last the entire session, depending entirely upon the evidence taken up and the extent to which they are proved. It has been that of the recent session.

## FORMER RESIDENT KILLED BY AUTO

Friends have received from Columbus the sad news of the tragic death of Mrs. Orpha D. Filler, widow of the late Rev. W. P. Filler, of that city, who was once located here. Mrs. Filler died last Tuesday, a few hours after being struck by an automobile, as she was crossing North High street, on her way home from a religious meeting. She was 70 years of age. While here Rev. Filler was on the Portsmouth Circuit of the M. E. church and preached on the West Side. Later he was presiding elder of the Portsmouth M. E. District.

Three daughters, Mrs. H. G. Thrall, Mrs. C. W. Hammett and Mrs. G. H. Barlow of Columbus survive. The deceased made her home with Mrs. Thrall. The other members of the family will remember the family well.

### And/or Is Ill

And/or Roy Colman was taken ill while at his office yesterday afternoon, and on the advice of his physician, he was taken home. Colman is suffering from severe symptoms of influenza and his condition this morning showed no improvement.

### Going To Colorado

John A. Hammett, of 1742 Eleventh street, left this morning for Rio Grande, Colorado, where he will spend the winter. Mr. Hammett has not been in his usual good health lately and believes a change of scene, and a good long vacation will do him good. The Daily Times will greet him with news of home and home folks each day and friends are asked to write him to address above.

### Milk Bottle Thieves Busy

Residents of the various Hilltop sections have complained to the police that milk bottle thieves are active in those sections. In many instances the bottles as well as the small change have been taken.

### Buys Property Here

William Franke of Waverly, who has been working here a few months, has bought a piece of property on the corner of Eleventh and Eleventh streets, near the home of his Waverly property and home at 3184 Walnut street, East Portsmouth, from E. D. Sparks, N. E. W. conductor. Mr. Franke's brother, Charles Franke, is the new superintendent at Fostoria.

### LEGAL NOTICE

Charles E. Martin, whose place of residence is unknown, and who has been declared by the court of Common Pleas of Adams county, Ohio, to be a person of unsound mind, is hereby notified that the court of Common Pleas of Adams county, Ohio, has appointed JAMES PENNY, Attorney at Law, to be the guardian of his person and estate.

Said court will be for hearing on the 15th day of January, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Court House, Portsmouth, Ohio.

By Thomas E. Nickel, Attorney at Law.

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# Christmas Is Just A Step Ahead

The "hurry and worry" period of last-minute buying is almost upon us, and Christmas giving is devoid of sentiment when choosing becomes an effort rather than a pleasure. Christmas buying—here and now—is a pleasant task—if it be a task. It would be difficult to step into the store and view the holiday decoration and the impressive collections of gift articles without becoming thoroughly imbued with the very spirit of Christmas. Every preference, every purse, every age has been considered in assembling the thousands and thousands of gift articles throughout this great Christmas store. Choose NOW while the task of choosing the right gift for the right person, and at the price you wish to pay, is a simple one.

## The Annual Christmas Sale of Women's Fur Coats

Rarely, if ever, has a more desirable collection of fashionable fur garments been offered in a Special Sale at the very time when their need is greatest.

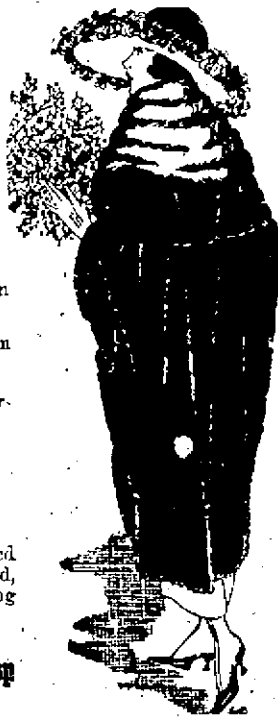
Its magnitude, the amazing values, the unsurpassed beauty of the furs combine to elevate this from a mere "sale" to an event not soon to be forgotten.

The prices, in view of the sharp advance in the cost of all pelts and of workmanship, are surprisingly low. Included at sale prices are exquisite coats in

Hudson Seal Coney Marmot Caracul Kolinsky

There are smart but plain effects or mode's trimmed in contrasting fur. Every coat is lined with the choicest of silks—every garment, no matter how much below actual value it may be priced, bears a convincing guarantee of permanent satisfaction, supreme style and quality—The Marting label.

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PETTICOATS in jersey, satin and taffeta in all colors and sizes.

JERSEY OVER BLOUSES just arrived for your Christmas selections \$13.50 to \$20.00.

NEW WAISTS for special Christmas giving in a wide range of style and colors, all sizes, materials of georgette, crepe de chine and satins, special \$5.00 and up.

WIRTLIMOR WAISTS in cotton voiles and organdies \$1.50.



## Children's Coats

In all the leading styles and materials \$10.00 and up.

CHILDREN'S FUR SETS in all makes of furs, and all styles and shapes for the most tiny tot, at all prices.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, a very practical gift for these times, cotton \$1.50 and up; wool \$7.50 and up.

CHILDREN'S RAIN CAPES \$3.98, \$5.00, \$6.00.

BOYS' SWEATERS in all colors, styles and sizes, \$1.25 to \$3.50.

SWEATERS for both misses and ladies in all styles, sizes and colors \$3.00 and up.

BATH ROBES for misses, ladies and children in a very choice selection of styles and patterns to pick from \$3.50 and up.

KIMONAS in a fine selection colors and styles in silk and crepe, \$2.50 and up.

JAPANESE QUILTED VESTS in both sleeve and sleeveless, in colors black, white, red and grey, \$2.50 and up.

KNIT UNDERSKIRTS in both light and dark colors, 50c to \$2.50.

SHAWLS in both wool and cotton, in light and dark colors \$1.50 to \$3.50.

MIDDIES in both wool and cotton in nearly all colors, all sizes, wool \$5.00 to \$12.50, cotton \$1.50 to \$4.00.

FANCY APRONS neatly trimmed with white lace and fancy ribbons, and a very choice assortment of styles, 35c and up.

COATS AND SUITS specially priced for Christmas giving, values of this sort make real Christmas gifts.

EVENING DRESSES, a gift that is used all the year around. We have them in all leading styles, copied after the Parisian designers, in materials of silks, satins, georgettes, taffetas, etc., \$25.00 and up.

**Marting's**  
PARISIAN DESIGNER

## MAYOR. J. S. DAVIS REPLIES TO STATEMENTS

Mayor J. S. Davis, of New Boston, today replied to the sworn statement made by two New Boston men, who in his reply, which appeared in Sunday's Times, in his reply to the matter and insists it is only a matter of time before the incoming administration will cause the incoming administration much trouble. His statement is as follows:

Mayor Fitch is trying to make a mountain out of a mole hill; some people will gag at a snail and swallow a camel. What is in these affidavits, granting all that is said in them was true, which as not according as I said it, what would it amount to? The things they would like for the people to believe is that I made some remarks which would reflect upon our flag and our government, but are afraid to say so. Now suppose such an affidavit would go before the governor. I believe he would ignore it on the grounds that no sane man, out for

a political office would say anything that would keep him from getting elected in a community where the vote stands at 400 republicans, about 200 democrats and 115 socialists and the candidate a socialist, and expected to be elected to the office of mayor of the village. Now you who know me that I have more sense than to do a thing like that.

Who is back of all this? A "hunch" of discarded republican office seekers and so-called political bosses. Now, why can't the republican party of New Boston elect a mayor? Because they or the so-called leaders do not believe in the principles that their party is based upon, that is the majority rule, and if he or they do not get nominated, he will go out and help to elect a democrat or a socialist or a whittaker. The good republicans get their heads together, like they did last November, and as they did on two other elections, and ask among themselves, "why not elect Davis for mayor as he has made a success of his own business and we are sure he has enough sense in the village to look after

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When I got council to agree to give me a raise of \$400, so a majority of councilmen ordered the matter to be considered the one just passed. Mr. Fitch with the majority continued the meeting to another date to pass the ordinance and give me a raise, but when Mr. Fitch defeated me for mayor I congratulated him and told him I would give him all the assistance I could and help to make his administration a success, and do anything I could to help him, and when the Solway Ordinance came up I got council to give him a raise of \$300 over and above what I received. See the difference?

Now, to the point. I will tell you word for word just what was said and I will leave you, the public, to judge whether I am guilty of the offense or not. William Jenkins, Lon Semones and Mr. Bricker were standing off to one side. Jenkins and Semones were arguing something about the flag and I was standing some few feet away talking to a fellow named Gator. I saw Mr. Bricker walk away into his house, came back out where I was standing, with a small flag in a frame and as he came back by me he stopped and made the remark that this is what he (Bricker) fought for in the war. I put my arm around him and patted his shoulder and back, told him that was right and that was what I had spent my money for the last two years to help protect it. Then Jenkins walked over and said to me: "You believe in the red flag as well as the American flag?" I told him he did not know what the red flag stood for and he (Jenkins) said maybe he was ignorant and did not know and asked me to tell him what the red flag meant. I told him a railroad man went out to flag a train and used a red flag to stop it and that red meant brotherly love. If he (Jenkins) had red blood in his veins and I told him that we should be brothers, and I never at any time in the conversation said anything about the socialists, adopting the red flag or the system. All I said was praise for the "Stars and Stripes."

Now there is something behind this other than disloyalty, they would have you believe, and that is to blinder and cripple the incoming administration and to get the people dissatisfied so they will want to annex the village to Portsmouth, as there is no one capable of looking after the village and its improvements, for they are down and out and cannot boss the job. Now as the majority of the people of New Boston have chosen me to be at their head, and to see that their interests are looked after, and have placed that confidence in me, I will guarantee to them that they will never have cause to regret that they had put their trust in me. And as there is a great reform spreading over the country, and a New Boston is united to her part of the reform, I guarantee you that on the first day of January 1920, that it will begin to spread and will not stop until the devil is brought to bay, and men will stand on the street corners and praise God, not damn him, who give to them all the blessings of life.

(Signed) J. SAMUEL DAVIS,  
Mayor Elect of New Boston.

### SOCIETY

On last Tuesday afternoon a musicale was given at Sunborn Hall, Ohio Wesleyan University, by the pupils of the College of Music, which will be of interest to many local persons since the majority of Portsmouth's college students are attending O. W. U. at Delaware. The program was given as follows:

"Impromptu E Flat—Schubert—Josephine Robertson.  
"Minuet—Borowski—Helen Walters.  
"Cabaletta—Lack—Helen Elizabeth Chick.  
"Time and I—Cadman—Julia Belle Harcourt.  
"Ballad of Trees and the Master"—Chadwick—Whitney Rudy.  
"Dere Song"—Mozart—Alma Bechtel.  
"The Frogs"—Chadwick—Letha Greene.  
"Scarl Danco"—Chaminade—Frances Sterenson.  
"Serenade"—Braga—Dorothy Skull.  
"By the Waters of Minnetonka"—Lorraine—Florence Chapman.  
"Absent"—Metcalf—Dorothy Myers.  
"Knowest Thou the Land"—Thomas—Edith Watkins.  
Sonata in A Major—Mendelssohn—Maren Bartenfeld.

Mrs. David Wilson entertained the Allen Club last evening at her home 1702 Highland avenue, assisted by Mrs. Walter Ginnell. After cards, luncheon was served, covers being laid for Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ginnell, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pressler, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Frye, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Henley, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Millard and Mrs. R. H. Donaldson.

Mrs. H. L. Hartman and daughter, Olive, of 1724 Grant street, will leave Friday for Asheville, N. C., to spend the winter.

Mrs. Taylor Filmore of 2312 Eighth street and Mrs. Stanley Webb have returned home from New London, where they visited the former's husband.

The meeting, which was to have been held all day Wednesday by the I. A. O. B. C., has been changed to be called at 1:00 p. m., instead, as Mrs. Nien, the grand deputy of Columbus, who was to have been here, will not come on account of illness. The installation of officers will be held at this meeting, for which a good attendance is urged.

Mrs. Louis Russell and little son "Jimmie," of Fifth street, have returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lockbaum of Ninth street entertained at dinner Sunday evening a few friends in honor of Henry Thomas who is leaving this week for his home in Evansville, Ind. Mr. Thomas worked at the New System bakery for sometime.

Mrs. Fanny Potency, of Grandview avenue, who has been very ill with grip is improving, but is not able to leave her room.

Section 3 of the First Christian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. D. Morgan, 812 Washington street.

Mrs. Cyrus G. Powers has been ill several days at her home on Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Jennings of Cleveland are visiting Portsmouth relatives.

Mrs. George Shute of New Rochelle, N. Y., will arrive here this week to spend the holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Shute of Baird avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swander and daughter Ruth of Columbus are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. John Swander, Sr., of Market street.

Mrs. J. M. Stockham of Kinney's lane, is planning to go to Philadelphia to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kehr and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Schukky were guests for a birthday dinner honoring Mr. Walter Gahn, last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gahn, 1224 Eleventh street.

Mrs. Clifford Hammerstein has returned to her home in Akron, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barkel of Third street.

Mrs. John L. Grimes of Akron, who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bauer of Fourth street, is in Indianapolis, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Pearce (Marie Bauer), who will come here the latter part of the week with Mrs. Grimes, and together they will spend Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bauer.

The Philanthropy class of young women of Trinity church held a most enjoyable meeting Monday evening at the home for Aged Women. After the evening's program, in which a passing party was included, a delicious collation of sandwiches, coffee and candies was served.

The Clio Club members will be entertained this evening for their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Chas. Atkinson on Fourth street.

The Clover Club will meet this evening with Misses Edna Davis and Juliette Silcox as hostesses, at the latter's home on Franklin avenue.

The Progress Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Mabel Tracy on Kinney's lane. Miss Nau Foley will be the assistant hostess.

The program will be as follows: Roll-Call—How Can We Better Our Club.

Paper—Albrecht Durer, the German Painter—Mrs. Geo. A. Youngman.  
Paper—Paul Potter the Dutch Painter—Miss Vergie Thomas.  
Reading—Miss Tracy.

Mrs. C. W. Weidlicker's class of young women of Trinity Sunday school will meet for their annual Christmas party at the home of the teacher, corner Hutchins and Highland avenues, Friday evening. A passing party will be a feature of the evening. All members are urged to be present.

The usual informal dance will be held this evening at the Blue Triangle room. Come and enjoy the wholesome recreation with the young people who frequent this Y. W. C. A. social center.

Mrs. Harry Doudson of Baird avenue will receive the members of the T. H. B. club for their regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Thompson of Robinson avenue will entertain the Wednesday Evening Club tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. I. A. Salmon of Moulton Place has returned from Cincinnati, where on Monday she attended the funeral of the baby son of her niece, Mrs. C. H. Kiebler (Edna Martin).

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong of Cleveland will spend the holidays with Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Johnson and little daughter, Caroline, of Buffalo, N. Y., are the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Johnson, of Second street.

Mrs. C. H. Chick, of Seventh street, who underwent an operation some time ago, is getting along nicely.

### U. S. Railroad Administration

Director General of Railroads

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Effective May 25th, 1920  
COLUMBUS DISTRICT  
Leave Portsmouth

EAST BOUND	
No. 15 Daily	11:30 A. M.
No. 22 Daily	1:15 P. M.
No. 4 Daily	3:00 P. M.
WEST BOUND	
No. 1 Daily	11:30 A. M.
No. 12 Daily	1:15 P. M.
No. 13 Daily	3:00 P. M.
No. 21 Daily	4:45 P. M.
No. 23 Daily	6:30 P. M.
CINCINNATI DISTRICT	
WEST BOUND	
No. 12 Daily	11:30 A. M.
No. 13 Daily	1:15 P. M.
No. 14 Daily	3:00 P. M.
No. 15 Daily	4:45 P. M.
No. 16 Daily	6:30 P. M.
EAST BOUND	
No. 17 Daily	11:30 A. M.
No. 18 Daily	1:15 P. M.
No. 19 Daily	3:00 P. M.
No. 20 Daily	4:45 P. M.
No. 21 Daily	6:30 P. M.

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Grand Prix, Paris, 1900  
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### Meeting Is Postponed

The meeting to have been held by the county commissioners tomorrow to

### When You Get

up "tired as a dog" and sleep is full of ugly dreams you need

### BEECHAM'S PILLS

Fatigue is the result of poisons produced by exercise or failure to digest food properly, and eliminate it promptly with the aid of liver and kidneys.



### ASK YOUR DEALER FOR PEERLESS ICE CREAM

#### YOUR CHRISTMAS

#### DESSERT

this year should be a heaping dish of our superlative ice cream. Why bother with pudding making or pie baking that takes so much time and trouble when you can have an all ready to eat delicious dessert like our ice cream. Besides, think of the saving. Our ice cream is the cheapest as well as the best of all desserts.



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### Auxiliary Will Meet

The morning session of the all day meeting to have been held Wednesday, Dec. 17, by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Order of Railway Conductors of America has been called off on account

### Blames High Cost Of Loafing

"The Guy Who Delivers The Goods" was the theme of the address by Dr. Lincoln McConnell, the fifth number on the High School Lecture Course given at the High School last night. An appreciative audience filled the auditorium.

### Only 7 Arrests In 10 Days

Compare three police court statistics for December during 1917, 1918 and 1919 bear witness to the falling off in minor offenses since the punishment of

### Ends Stubborn Coughs in a Hurry

For real effectiveness, this old remedy is the only one that is ready and ready prepared.

You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered, until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night, will say that the immediate relief given is almost like magic. It is very easy prepared, and really there is nothing better for coughs.

Into a pint bottle, put 2 1/2 ounces of Frezzy, then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. It can be used diluted with water, honey or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. In any way, the full pint saves about a fourth of the money usually spent on cough preparations, and gives you more positive, effective remedy. It cures perfectly, and tastes pleasant—children like it.

### OPPOSE TAX BILL

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 16.—With the return of members of the general assembly to Columbus today, interest centered on the proposed action on the income tax bill. The entire Chamber of Commerce went on record at a meeting in Cincinnati yesterday as opposed to the income tax bill.

If the city representatives are against the bill, it is held that there is little chance for its passage. It is largely a city matter, and rural legislators in the assembly today declared that if the city representatives are not in favor of it there is no reason why they should support it.

**"A Shine In Every Drop"**  
Get a Can TO-DAY From Your Hardware or Grocery Dealer

**XMAS REBELS ARRIVE**  
NEW YORK—Four young women, Christmas brides-to-be of former members of the A. E. F., arrived from France.

### Estimates Allowed

The Children's Home Building Commission, in session at the court house yesterday, allowed estimates to Architects Devoss and Donahue and Contractors Jones and Lallow and then heard a report by Architect Arthur Devoss on the progress of the work.

Steel for use in the building has now arrived after considerable delay and the pouring of concrete will start as soon as the weather is favorable.

### BIRTHS

A daughter was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Wilbur of Clinton avenue.

### BITRO PHOSPHATE

supplies an essential substance to the body and cures the living cells of the body. It is a healthy flesh, sold by druggists and chemists. It is a healthy flesh, sold by druggists and chemists. It is a healthy flesh, sold by druggists and chemists.

### Why be tied down by washday?

Why permit a century-old method of washing on a rub-board, wear your clothes out, tear you out and keep you in? The moment BlueBird comes into your home, washdays of old are gone.

Just put the clothes in BlueBird, turn the switch—and in a few minutes BlueBird has them clean, clearer than they could ever be washed by hand or by any other process.

All clothes washed by BlueBird last five times as long as when washed on a rub-board—because there is no rubbing, no friction in the perfectly smooth BlueBird copper rollers. Delicate garments are washed by BlueBird without the slightest harm.

It is the most perfect development of the most perfect principle of washing clothes. Costs but a few cents a week to operate—costs but a few dollars down to buy. We will gladly make



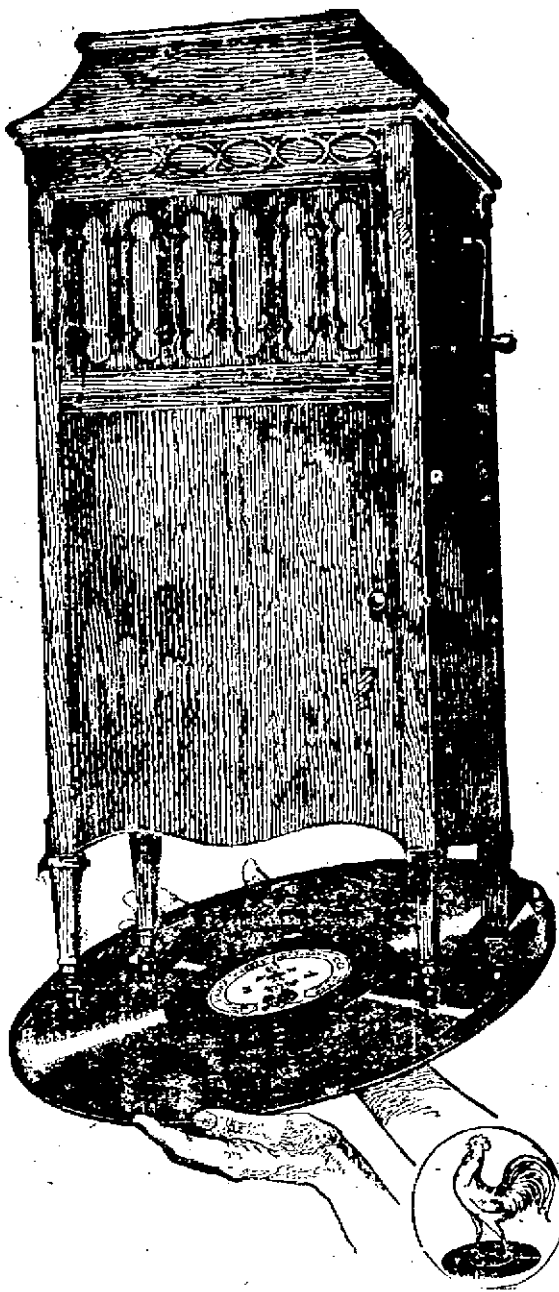
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**Your Favorite Selection--Hear It On The Pathe.**

Your favorite selection will be played exquisitely on the Pathe no matter on what record it appears, for the Pathe is not a one-record phonograph; it plays all makes of records perfectly, without change of parts or extra reproducers. Just turn the sound box.



Santa Claus Headquarters--Bring The Child To See The Toys

## Children Stolen By Mother Are Returned To Father

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 16.—The law suits of the children having since been taken today favored G. W. Staple, who went to juvenile court to get assistance in trying to find the children who he alleged had been stolen from him 15 months ago at the court room he saw his former wife being by their mother, the where in the act of assing the court to com-

mit the children to a child's home on the ground that she was unable to care for them. The children were awarded to the father, when at a hearing papers issued by a Kentucky court granting him the possession of the children.

### Go After Cars

Glen Werner and W. J. Hays left Tuesday for Kentucky. They will get new Nash cars and drive them through to Portsmouth.

## Hard Blow To Liberals

Decision of the United States supreme court Monday holding the war-time prohibition law valid, was a heavy blow to Portsmouth liberals, who had figured on a brief respite from prohibition enforcement during which they could replenish their stock of liquor for the long dry spell that is ahead of them.

Plans for excursions to nearby points, preceding the holidays, have been abandoned and there is now in certain quarters because the holiday celebrations this year will have to be held without the accompaniment of the "cup that cheers."

Former retail liquor dealers, who have quantities of liquor in bond warehouses, are the hardest hit by the decision, since they have no idea what disposition is to be made finally of the stocks which they had been counting upon could be disposed of legally during the interim between the lifting of the war-time lid and the enforcement of a total prohibition.

There is corresponding rejoicing in dry circles, leaders of which took upon the decision of the supreme court as the crowning achievement in its effort to affect the complete extermination of demon rum throughout the land.

### Mrs. Owens Entertains

The Home Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wm. Owens, of Sctotville. Following the devotional services and business session a two-course lunch was served to the twenty-four members present. The house was decorated in red and green in keeping with the season. Concluding the business hour, the guests indulged in a social chat, the afternoon being pleasantly spent.

## Choir To Meet

The members of the Second Presbyterian church choir are invited to attend choir practice on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the church to work on the Christmas cantata.

## Band Has New Home

Members of the Musicians' Union have taken a two year lease on the third floor of the Hans building and after January 1st will hold their meetings there. The union has been meeting in Wilhelmstrasse Hall. The local will hold its next meeting on the second Sunday in January and this meeting will probably be held in the new hall.

## Directors Elected

At a meeting of the directors of the Portsmouth Real Estate Company Monday W. L. Hittchcock, president of the Portsmouth Refrigeratories Company and W. A. DeVoss, member of the firm of DeVoss and Donaldson, were elected as directors.

### BIRTHS

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allison, of St. Paul, Ky. Mr. Allison is employed on the C. & O. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baezel, 212 Market street, this morning.

### SOCIETY

Mrs. W. J. Baker's Sunday school class of the Second Presbyterian church will not meet on Thursday evening of this week with Miss Ruth Nutter, of Twentieth street, but will meet next Monday evening instead.

Miss Irene McGregor will entertain the Whirligig club on Thursday afternoon at the home of her aunt Mrs. Wade S. Kennedy, on Highland avenue.

### WIRE FLASHES

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 16.—The new prohibition enforcement bill will be reported for passage today by the house temperance committee. Chairman Crabbe announced. Because of the absence of some dry members, it was said to be probable that the bill will not be voted upon until the latter part of the week and might go over until after holidays' recess.

Former State Bank Superintendent Phil H. Berg, of Cleveland called on members of the joint taxation committee in opposition to that feature of the proposed income tax measure giving taxing officials inquisitorial powers over bank and building and loan depositories. He declared the provision to be vicious. "I can't imagine the harm it will do business of all character. If this provision is left in the bill," he said.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Four thousand of Chicago's 5,000 saloons will close their doors or go into other business on January 1, according to an estimate today by M. J. McFarther, secretary of the Illinois Liquor Dealers' Protective Association.

"We really expected to see the saloons open up after the supreme court action," he said, "and the decision upholding war-time prohibition took the heart of the owners."

Most of the saloon keepers had retained their licenses and operated soft drink establishments with their regular corps of bartenders since July 1.

The statement of Levy Mayer, chief counsel for the liquor interests of the middlewest, "that the real battle has not begun," brought some cheer to the saloon owners and distillery heads.

"This decision is just a scratch on the surface," he said. "The constitutionality of the eighteenth, or prohibition amendment, will be attacked in a few days. None of the questions involved in the case just decided has any relation to or any bearing on the momentous fight that will be made on the

# ORGANIZATION EFFECTED IN THIS DISTRICT FOR G. O. P. CAMPAIGN

Storeroom abounded a meeting of Republican leaders of the Sixth Congressional District at the Hotel Washington this afternoon with the Republican State Chairman, George H. Clark of Canton and Charles E. Hard, state secretary in attendance.

Admission to the conference was limited to those whose presence had been requested in advance. It was learned, however, that each of the six counties in the district was represented.

Pressed for a statement as to the object of the meeting, Secy. Hard said it was called for "organization" purposes.

He denied that it had anything to do with the Harding Presidential candidacy. As fast as the visitors arrived at the hotel, they were ushered to the parlor upstairs, where they met the State Chairman behind closed doors.

Wilke county sent a good-sized delegation, composed of Floyd E. Gehring, Willard T. S. Jones, George C. Jones and E. J. Newell of Waverly, and T. N. Patterson and J. T. Bismann of Mifflin.

Among Portsmouth and Scioto county citizens at the meeting were Sheriff H. E. Hickey, Probate Judge Gilliland, County Clerk Edward Cunningham, Deputy County Clerk John Hall, County Commissioners Jacob Kuhner and J. H. Appel, Mayor H. H. Mittenbush of South Webster, Dr. P. W. Young, Dr. W. D. Trempier, County Chairman Henry Becker, John Eckhart, Joseph T. McMillan, Philo S. Clark and Henry W. Miller.

Others who attended the meeting were D. Q. Morrow of Highland county, former state chairman, and C. E. Frame, J. O. McLambs, Carry Rockback, J. E. Cross and County Recorder Wamsley of Adams county. It was announced that a meeting will be held later in the lower end of the district to accommodate leaders from Brown and Clermont counties, who could not get here in time for the conference today.

"My visit to Scioto county at this time is just one of many that I am making all over the state to effect working organizations for the 1920 campaign," said Chairman Clark after the meeting.

"The question of candidates for the Presidency was not even mentioned, the sole object being a closer acquaintance with the men who will have charge of the campaign in the various congressional districts," he added.

Mr. Clark was the guest over night at the home of Mr. Hard on Franklin avenue. He and Mr. Hard will leave tomorrow for Jackson to hold a similar meeting of Tenth District leaders.

## Farm Drive Opens

Today noon 31 township captains and 31 townships who are to make the Farm Drive for 1,000 members within the next two weeks, met at the Elks Club room for luncheon and final instructions regarding the membership campaign.

Inspiring and enthusiastic talks were made by Vallee Harold and C. E. Dowling and several of the county's leading farmers. Every farmer in the county will be called upon within the next two weeks to become a member of the Scioto County Farm Bureau.

The Scioto Shazzerinkums, as the same thing as the successful Chamber campaign workers will be known, and Commerce campaign. Receipt books confident they will reach their goal and later they were distributed at the within the two weeks allotted them. A meeting today.

## Mother Repudiates Assertion That Negroes Attacked Her

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 16.—Mrs. Esther Miller Blake today repudiated her statement that two negroes overpowered her last Friday night on the ventnor board walk and kidnapped her five-year-old son.

"It might have been a delusion," she told Dr. Louis R. Souder, coroner, "I am subject to delusions and I might be mistaken about the negroes."

Mrs. Blake is under arrest, charged with the murder of her boy. She has been a sufferer from nervous exhaustion for several years.

The mother also admitted that the boy ran out on the ventnor pier, from which the authorities believe she, in a fit of insanity threw him into the sea.

The motion for the crime, according to the police, was that Mrs. Blake harbored the delusion that the death of the boy, a male, whom she thought was a barrier between her and her husband might result in a reconciliation.

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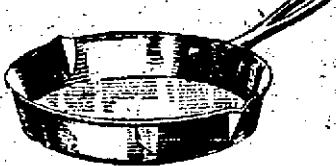
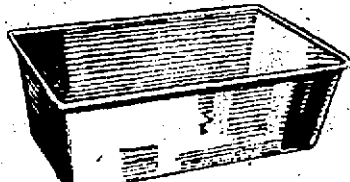
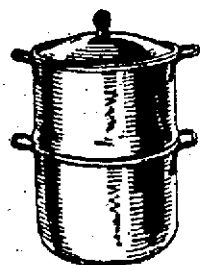
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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, moes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly—My gentleman friend works here, but his home is in another state. I would like to have him with me on Christmas day. Would it be all right for my mother to write him for that occasion? If he comes, what should I give him for a present? We have known each other for four months and have been together about three times a week during that time.

H. D. F.

It will be all right for your mother to invite the young man to your home for Christmas day. If I were in your place, I would not give him any present. If you do, however, choose something simple and inexpensive.

Dear Dolly—My little girl, who is eight years old, has thin hair and is

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falls out in quantities. Do you think it would grow any faster if I have it bobbed, but I think the hair is so curly when it starts to grow back. What would you advise? MISS G.

If you have your child's hair bobbed and treat the scalp with a good hair tonic, the hair will stop falling and the growth will increase. Do not stop at one bobbing. Have the hair bobbed for a year or two and you will see marked improvement.

Dear Dolly—I am deeply in love with a young man two years my senior. About ten days ago he went away, promising faithfully to write, but I haven't received any mail from him. I have plenty of other boy friends who will take me any place I want to go, but the one that is away is the only one I care for. Do you think he has given me up, as it has been so long and he hasn't written? I know his mother well. Would it be all right to phone her and ask if she has heard from him?

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he shows such indifference, it would be unwise for you to follow him up, showing that you are deeply interested. You may hear from him yet.

Dear Miss Wise—I am a housewife and am troubled with my hands chapping. They get very red and sore and look so badly that I am ashamed to go anywhere. Can you advise me anyway to improve their appearance? I have tried wearing rubber gloves, but they're so clumsy that I prefer to work without them. I have also tried cold cream.

Have your druggist prepare a hand lotion of the following ingredients: One ounce of glycerine, two ounces of alcohol, twenty drops of carbolic acid, and enough perfume to kill the odor of the carbolic acid. Apply this lotion after having your hands in water. You will find that they look better and will be soft and pretty.

Miss Dolly—A young boy who is going to Denver, Colorado, between now and Christmas, and who does not like to make the journey alone, would like to get in touch with anyone who is

contemplating going to Denver or Chicago or any point within a short distance of her destination. Would prefer the companionship of ladies or a married couple. If you or any readers of this column know of any person or persons going west to spend the holidays please phone 512-11 as soon as possible.

A READER

CHRISTMAS RECIPES

Christmas Pudding—Two and one half cups fine bread crumbs one cup brown sugar, one half cup chopped suet, one cup milk, one teaspoon chopped citron, one half cup chopped raisins, one half cup molasses, one half cup flour, two teaspoons baking powder, one

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ounce chopped nuts (any kind) one teaspoon salt, one half teaspoon cinnamon. Mix well together and steam three and one half hours. Serve with any good sauce.

**Roast Turkey**—Turkey, salt and pepper, dry bread flour for gravy, chestnuts, oysters or sage as preferred, but terine hot water.

Wash turkey thoroughly. Rub inside and out with salt and pepper. Then stuff with any preferred dressing. Sew up opening. Tie legs and wings to body and place in roaster, breast down. In this way all the fine flavoring from the turkey and the juice from the dressing flow down to the breast of the fowl, making the white meat sweet, juicy and most delicious.

## TIMES SERVICE PATTERN



A pleasing costume is shown in this combination of Ladies' Waist Pattern 3077 and Ladies' Skirt Pattern 3078. Serge is here shown with matched satin for vest, and for facings on collar and cuffs. This design would be attractive in black satin and crepe, or in velvet and satin, duveton, broadcloth, crepe de meteor and crepe de chine are also desirable for its development. The waist is cut in 8 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust measure. It is a good model for mature figures.

The skirt is cut in 7 sizes: 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 inches waist measure. For a medium size, 5 3/4 yards of 44 inch material will be required for the entire costume.

The width of the skirt at lower edge is about 1 1/2 yard.

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## SOCIETY

Miss Maria Keer, 842 Fourth street is in receipt of the following card: Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Montgomery Prior announce the marriage of their daughter to

Roberta St. Clare to Mr. Joseph Franklin Cook on the evening of Wednesday the tenth of December, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen at eight o'clock.

The bride and her parents are very well known here.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Riggs, 1518 Robinson avenue Thursday evening, December 18, instead of Friday evening. Miss L. E. Hornbuckle will be the assistant hostess. The husbands of the members will be the guests at this time, when a passing party will be a prominent feature.

Mrs. Levi D. York of Rose Ridge has received a message announcing the arrival of a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crandall, Los Angeles, California. Mrs. Crandall (Marjorie Hibbs) is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hibbs of Los Angeles, formerly of Portsmouth, and is a niece of Mrs. York. The baby has been named Georgia Hope Crandall.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Mary G. Ruth to Preston Sheppard of this city on Friday, December 12, in Trenton. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ruth of Lynn, and for sometime has been proprietor of a confectionery at Fourth and Court. Mr. Sheppard is the son of Atty. George W. Sheppard and is employed at the Whitaker-Glennier plant. After spending the week end in Ashland Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard returned here to reside.

Members of Aurora Lodge No. 48 F. & A. M. and also members of other Masonic lodges, their wives and guests are invited to attend a dance to be given next Friday evening at Bessman's Dancing Academy from eight thirty to eleven thirty. Anderson's orchestra will furnish the music.

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fire of unknown origin which had started in a new house under construction for Dr. Walter Stranlin. The blaze probably started from a fire left in the house by workmen and was extinguished with a small loss.

While the firemen were returning to their stations an alarm from Box 47 sent them hurrying to Adam Pfau's bakery, 1011 Eleventh street, where an overheated flue set fire to the timbers in the flour room on the second floor. The blaze was quickly put out with a trifling loss.

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### Trial Is Postponed

Judge Thomas has granted the application of Prosecutor Sheppard for a continuance in the case of Henry L. Cline, charged in an indictment with misappropriation of funds which came into his possession when superintendent of Greentown cemetery, which was scheduled for trial Friday next. The assignment was vacated by the court on the representation of the prosecutor that he was unable to obtain some important evidence in time to go to trial. The case will likely be re-argued for trial during January.

### Scioto Lodge Is Busy

Six candidates were given the first degree at a well-attended meeting of Scioto Lodge, I. O. O. F., Monday evening, and one candidate "flaked" and failed to get in.

George Hauck, who is one of the chief stars in an all-star cast that stages the first degree, also "flaked." George, who is commandant of Canton Orient, No. 67, recording secretary of Scioto Lodge, and holds several other

### Lady Druggist's Advice Taken

"My sister-in-law is a druggist. She told me of several bad stomach and liver cases which were benefited by taking May's Wonderful Remedy and advised me to try it. I had numerous bad attacks due to bloating and indigestion, and I was getting very nervous. I am feeling fine now." It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Flood and Blake, Fisher and S. Reich and Druggists everywhere.—Adv.

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Ashland, Ky., Dec. 16—Mrs. Wm. Bullington of 604 Front St., has made such a remarkable recovery from a long illness that she tells her experience in the hope that others will be benefited. "For four years," she says, "I suffered with severe pains in the back of my head, causing dizzy spells and attacks of blindness. At these times I hardly knew what I was saying. All treatment seemed hopeless, until I went to many specialists and took serum treatment. When these spells passed off they were followed by violent vomiting. At last I tried Dr. Parker's Treatment for Constipation and Indigestion and since taking two boxes I have been practically free from these spells and can eat everything without ill effects. I am still taking this wonderful treatment and believe it will completely cure me. I recommend it to all."

If you suffer from any of the symptoms of constipation or indigestion try Dr. Parker's Treatment. It will relieve you or your dollar will be refunded. Sold by Warster Bros. Pharmacy, Fisher and Streich, Flood and Blake Pharmacy and all druggists.

### Committee Meets

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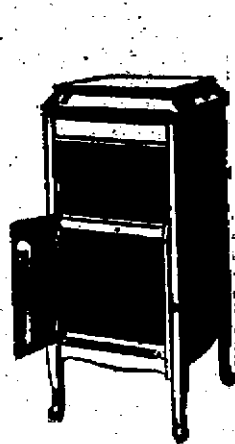
An important meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Evangelical church will be held tonight at 7:30 in the Men's Bible class room at 7:30 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present as the annual election of officers will be held this evening.

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A 6124—12 inch—\$1.50—WINE, WOMEN AND SONG—Waltz. (Strauss.) Metropolitan Opera House Orchestra. Under the direction of Artur Bodanzky.

E 5186—12 inch—\$1.25—A MOORISH LADY. (La Mora. Cuban Danzon.) Fox Trot. Francesca De Romen Orchestra. IF I SHOULD DIE ON THE HIGHWAY. (Si Muero En La Garretera.) Cuban Danzon. Fox Trot. Francesca De Romen Orchestra.

A 2802—10 inch—\$1.00—DOWN BY THE MEADOW BROOK. Waltz. (Wendling.) Columbia Orchestra. Chas. A. Prince, Director; ENID. Waltz. (Sarl.) Columbia Orchestra.

A 2817—10 inch—\$1.00—ONLY. Fox Trot. (Akst.) Prince's-Dance Orchestra. CHINESE LULLABY. From "East is West." (Bowers—Kaplan.) Fox Trot. Waldorf-Astoria Dance Orchestra. Jos. Knecht, Director.

A 2818—10 inch—\$1.00—I AIN'T GONNA GIVE NOBODY NONE O' THIS JELLYROLL. (Williams and Williams.) Fox Trot. Introducing. Just Leave It To Me. (Pinkard.) Sweetman's Original Jazz Band. HELLO, HELLO, (King.) One Step. Sweetman's Original Jazz Band.

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A 2821—10 inch—\$1.00—TELL ME. (Kokrtlander.) Al Jolson. Comedian. Orchestra accompaniment. WONDERFUL PAL. (Pinkard.) George Meader. Tenor Solo. Orchestra accompaniment.

A 2816—10 inch—\$1.00—FRECKLES. (Mess, Johnson and Ager.) Nora Bayes. Comedienne. Orchestra accompaniment. EVERYBODY CALLS ME HONEY. (Straight.) Nora Bayes. Comedienne. Orchestra accompaniment.

A 2815—10 inch—\$1.00—YOU'D BE SURPRISED. (Berlin.) Irving Kaufman. Tenor Solo. Orchestra accompaniment. JUST LEAVE IT TO ME. (Pinkard.) Irving and Jack Kaufman. Tenor Duet. Orchestra accompaniment.

A 2820—10 inch—\$1.00—OPEN UP THE GOLDEN GATES TO DIXIELAND. (Van and Schenck.) Van and Schenck. Character Duet. Orchestra accompaniment. GRANNY (Bellenda.) Adele Rowland. Comedienne. Orchestra.

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A 2810—10 inch—\$1.00—WHEN I'M GONE YOU'LL SOON FORGET. (Keith.) Peerless Quartette. Male Quartette. Orchestra accompaniment. I LOVE YOU JUST THE SAME, SWEET ADELIN. (Armstrong and Gaskil.) Peerless Quartette. Male Quartette. Orchestra accompaniment.

A 2809—10 inch—\$1.00—CASEY JONES. (Newton.) Irving and Jack Kaufman. Tenor Duet. Orchestra accompaniment. STEAMBOAT BILL. (Mills.) Irving Kaufman. Tenor Solo. Orchestra accompaniment.

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At The Arrans Today

As the better photoplay productions there is nothing but comedy in the are becoming more and more popular day and tomorrow. In addition to the Marjorie Porter is looking them for the five-red first run motion picture feature. Several of the big features are. This program, which opened with a big star being shown here every Monday for the first half of the week. You should watch for these is thoroughly enjoyable from start to finish. You will not miss any of it. The vaudeville is routine together. Today the feature attraction is time quality and the pictures are of Charles Ray, a screen favorite with the light.

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**MARY MACLAREN**  
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Universal  
Picture

Mary MacLaren, The American Beauty of the Screen, in Her New Universal Picture, "Bonnie, Bonnie Lassie," Comes to the Exhibit Tomorrow—The Best Picture of the Past Year

Mary MacLaren, the beautiful Universal girl from the fashionably dressed, or not himself into, and it came to a happy climax when he got mixed up in a hilarious plot at Mother Kelly's room. A Scottish maid in her new photoplay, "Bonnie Lassie," as a Scottish painter's assistant, "A Fugitive From Matrimony," is a gang leader, embraces him, and ab-

in America. It is a photo play with a deliciously refreshing touch—with a zestful and unexpected climax, and has been declared by every critic to be a 100 percent picture. The work of Spottiswoode Aitken, in the role of old Jeremiah Wishart gives the veteran screen player his most interesting part in recent years. Miss MacLaren seems to delight in her portrayal of the Scottish maid who comes to America to seek a fortune and who finds one—plus a husband. William Duncan will be the added feature tomorrow in another thrilling installment of "Smashing Barriers."

### MARRIAGE SLACKER

ABDUCTED BY GIRL  
Matrimonial Dodger Gets Himself Into a Nice Mess in a Sparkling Comedy Drama, Starring H. B. Warner

Are you a marriage-slacker? Do you awake at night from a hectic nightmare in which you see yourself being led up the aisle by some lubbered blonde or shoe-eyed brunette, eager to slip Kil Hyman's nose around your neck?

If you belong to that specie known as confirmed bachelor, woman-hater or matrimonial-slacker, you will have an opportunity to see in "A Fugitive From Matrimony," H. B. Warner's latest production, how one misadventured cupid-dodger got hoisted and was turned by a girl who wouldn't be bluff.

Mrs. Hyman was a parton and a social climber. Barbara objected to having blue-blooded suitors thrust upon her by mama. When Barbara discovered a handsome young man in society early in her life, she thought she had secured a real live hero, and started out to reform him with the intention of marrying him. But her handsome suitor turned out to be only a reckless millionaire with blood of the deepest indigo.

Just to please the girl, Van Courtland posed as her thrice-wedded baron, and to find his ending brother based on the flight from her mother, and after taking all of his valuables and money from him sent him home. He finds it a deliciously novelty when the proprietor and the gang leaders welcome him as the old Kila western Red man who has just been released from jail and whom they have been expecting for some time.

A beautiful girl, Joan Gray, who is apparently one of the girls of the re-



Lyric Tomorrow and Thursday  
Wallace Reid Has Fine Role in "The Love Burglar" Society Idler Turns Crook for a Lark and Interesting Developments Occur

Wallace Reid, one of the most liked of all screen heroes, portrays one of his most effective hero roles in his new Paramount picture, "The Love Burglar," a dramatization of the successful play "One of Us" by Jack Lait.

Mr. Reid's part is that of a young chapman who goes to a disreputable den to find his sister's brother based on the flight from her mother, and after taking all of his valuables and money from him sent him home. He finds it a deliciously novelty when the proprietor and the gang leaders welcome him as the old Kila western Red man who has just been released from jail and whom they have been expecting for some time.

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David diplomatically avoids becoming entangled in any of the crooked hold-ups and crimes but finds it hard to keep his reputation as a bad man. His opportunity comes when Coast announces that a wedding is to be held in a swell society home, which it transpires, is the home of David himself. His sister is the one to be married. He tells Coast he will do this job. Herewith starts a complication that terminates in one of the most mysterious situations ever screened. James Cruze directed and an excellent cast supports the star.

Hooley—The Big Circus is in Town Tonight—Don't Miss Bert Lytell at The Exhibit Tonight in "One Thing at a Time O'Day," a Thrilling Story Of Circus Life.

Her bare-back riding caught his fancy, and he was only a poor country boy of studious habits. He felt that he was a queen while he had nothing but a poor ten spot. He joined the circus to be near the little charmer. His policy of only doing one thing at a time—and doing it well—earned him the title of "One Thing at a Time O'Day," and he lived up to the title—and more.

If you want to see one of the best pictures you ever witnessed, come to the Exhibit tonight and see intangible Bert Lytell enact the role of "O'Day." Comedy situations in the successful film reels of thrills and modern romance, accompanied by all the great acts of the circus. It isn't until the very end of the fifth reel that the very best all right to the title "One Thing at a Time O'Day." It's a rare and joyful time it. Come early. Can't the best in one of his famous comedies "The Wild" be on the bill tonight also.

A Royal Maiden Snagged a Kingdom for the Love of a Mere Man! See "The Last Princess" at The Strand Tonight

One of the most fast moving comedies of young love ever shown here, plays at the Strand tonight, with Albert Hall and Elinor Fair as the stars. "The Last Princess," a Fox photoplay, is a story of a young prince who is kidnapped in Europe of a young princess, who is a big American newspaper, where she finds that the love and the protection of a red-blooded young American are better than all she left behind in Europe.

A Mutt and Jeff and a good first comedy complete the program.

Sells Runglow  
Irving Rose has sold his five times over on Elm Street to Jack Lytell. He will occupy it.

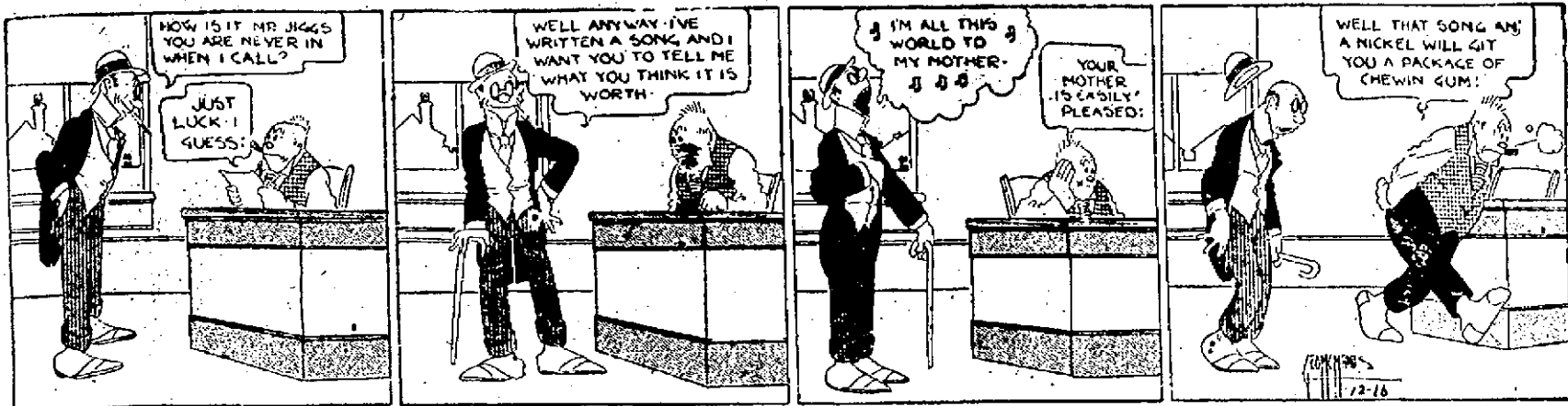
Really company closed the deal.



BRINGING UP FATHER

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BY GEORGE McJANNUS



The Citizens Savings & Loan Association Co.

Offers you for the New Year an investment which is Safe and Sound. Its life of 29 Years in this community, under practically the same management, is its guarantee.

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We invite your patronage for the New Year  
6 Per Cent For 29 Years.  
Why Take Less?  
Operated By

The Hutchins & Hamm Co.

First Nat'l Bank Bldg.

enabling the service gang to make the necessary repairs without delay.

Cooking Main Field

A cooking main was pulled, off in the county last Saturday night and was attended by many local reporters.

men." It was held several miles beyond Camp Creek, on the West Side, and it is said that Waverly sports went home with the kale.

Back From Knoxville

R. E. Scott, local N. & W. passenger agent, has returned from a business trip to Knoxville.

At Hall Bros.

Harry Bender is helping out during the Xmas rush in Hall Bros. store. He was for years employed by the late John Heer.

Mr. Goodman Here

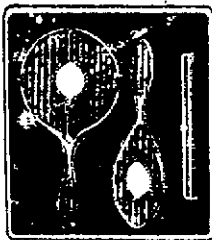
Looking well and prosperous, Ollie Goodman, who operates a large garage in Valparaiso, Ind., is here on a visit to old friends. He was formerly in charge of the Globe clothing store, which for several years, was located in the Flinders building on Second street near Market. Mr. Goodman's garage has a 100-car capacity and he says business has been very satisfactory with him.

Communication Restored

Communication between the Market road section and the rest of the city, cut off last week by washouts, has been restored by the public service department thanks to prompt re-operation on the part of the officials of the Whitaker-Glossner Company. A new steel culvert, ordered by Service Director Ralph Culbert, was turned out and delivered to the city by the steel company the same day it was ordered.

# Join The Crowd Coming To Our Store

Come and see the crowds that are buying here. Come and see the wonderful lines of Diamonds, Watches, Silverware and Jewelry. Come and learn how you can buy your Christmas gifts and pay for them after Christmas in small weekly or monthly sums. There is no sense in paying cash for your Christmas gifts.



## TOILET SETS IN PROFUSION

Here you have your choice of Toilet Sets in either Silver or Parisian Ivory. A Toilet Set is a gift that is appreciated by all the ladies. No sense in paying cash either, because we will give you long credit terms.



## \$1 A Week Buys A Diamond Ring

Give a Diamond—and you will present someone with a gift that will forever increase in value! Mind you—you don't have to pay cash here. Styles for men and women.

## NOTHING IS TOO GOOD FOR "HIM", THAT'S WHY OUR WATCHES MAKE SUCH FINE XMAS GIFTS

When you select a Watch here you do so with the assurance that you are getting the best that it is possible to get anywhere—at the lowest possible price—and on the best terms ever dreamed of.



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BEAUTIFUL BRACELET WATCHES

Pay After Xmas



There is absolutely no reason why you should pay cash this year for any gifts of Diamonds, Watches, Silverware or Jewelry, because we have the most complete line in the city and stand ready to extend credit terms to all honest people. A charge account here is the same as one opened up at any other first class store, with this one exception. We permit you to pay in small sums instead of exacting payment in full at one time.

Your Credit Is Good It's Easy to Pay the Crescent Way

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Open Evenings Till Xmas

Portsmouth's Original Credit Jewelers

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Expert Watch Repairing

CREDIT JEWELERS WITH CASH PRICES

920 Galia Street

# COUPON DAY



Be Among the Busy Crowds That Flock Here Wednesday! Make These Coupons Save You On Your Xmas Gift Purchases!

Just 27 items for Wednesday's coupon selling—but every one a wanted—staple—dependable item and every one at a mighty low price.

None sold at the special prices without the coupon. Clip the coupons and present them with your money at time of purchase to get the special coupon price.

Help Old Santa All You Can By Clipping the Coupons. Make Your Xmas Money Go Farther!

### COUPON

Child's Unionsuits ... 58c  
Children's ribbed and fleece unionsuits in sizes for children 2 to 14 years of age. Clip this coupon.

### COUPON

Outing Petticoat ... 65c  
Medium heavy quality striped outing flannel petticoats, made with adjustable waist; finished flounce.

### COUPON

Dress Apron ... \$1.37  
Neat styled dress aprons made of light or dark percales. An exceptionally good value with this coupon.

### COUPON

"Regal" Corset ... \$1.99  
Medium bust "Regal" corsets in front lace styles and "Antoinette" corsets in back lace. Embroidered at top. \$3 values.

### COUPON

Black Jersey Leggings 73c  
Children's black jersey leggings. Heavy fleece lined. All sizes for children.

### COUPON

White Middies ... 93c  
Front lace styles in women's and misses' middies. Made of good quality middie cloth in white, pink or blue.

### COUPON

Boys' \$1.50 Pants ... 94c  
Assorted patterns in novelty woven trousers for boys. All sizes for boys age 6 to 17 years.

### COUPON

Women's Underwear ... 87c  
Women's two piece underwear, fleece lined and ribbed vests and pants in a special value with coupon.

### COUPON

\$7 Trimmed Hats ... \$2.50  
A table of trimmed hats worth up to \$7 each. All shapes, all kinds, all for \$2.50 with this coupon.

### COUPON

Men's 19c Hose ... 13c  
Black and colors in good cotton hose for men. On sale at 13c a pair with this coupon.

### COUPON

Heavy Comforts ... \$2.38  
Assorted patterns in the redtone covers—heavy, large size blankets, filled with selected cotton. Coupon special.

### COUPON

Women's Sweater ... \$3.79  
Women's coat style knit sweaters in a heavy quality. Made in red or grey with big collar, belt and pockets.

### COUPON

50c Corset Covers ... 34c  
Good soft quality muslin corset covers made with prettily embroidered yokes. Give these for Xmas. Worth 50c each.

### COUPON

Women's 19c Hose ... 13c  
Women's cotton hose in black, white, grey or brown. A durable quality with double toes and heels.

### COUPON

Silk Kerchiefs ... 21c  
Crisp de crease silk handkerchiefs in pretty shades and colors. Attractive embroidered corners. With coupon.

### COUPON

Window Shades ... 64c  
Green or white heavy window shades, full 6 ft. long, 36 inches wide, good roller springs. Coupon special.

### COUPON

\$5 Trimmed Hat ... \$1.50  
Your choice of a table of trimmed hats worth up to \$5 each. With this coupon. Choice \$1.50 each.

### COUPON

75c Leather Purse ... 46c  
New styles and shapes in leather strap purses for women and misses at a special coupon price.

### COUPON

Envelope Chemise ... 84c  
Flesh color or white chemise with pretty embroidery and lace trimming. At a very special price with coupon.

### COUPON

Boy Scout Gloves ... 45c  
Boys' "Boy Scout" leather gloves are made with gauntlet and are warm lined. Special with coupon.

### COUPON

Men's Underwear ... 87c  
Men's shirts and drawers—two piece underwear that is heavy ribbed and fleece lined. Coupon special.

### COUPON

Hack Towels ... 12 1-2c  
Plain white, hack towels in a good size. Selling these at a special 1 1/2 price with coupon.

### COUPON

Brassieres ... 44c  
"Vanity" and "Fashion" brassieres in front or back fastening. Pink or white. Special with coupon.

### COUPON

Straw Brooches ... 43c  
Good straw brooches with long ornate handles. 5 each 10c. Special.

### COUPON

75c Knit Toppies ... 44c  
Children's heavy knit toppies in all plain and combination colors. Worth 75c. Special with the coupon.

GO WHERE THE CROWDS GO

PORTSMOUTH DRY GOODS CO.  
403 CHILlicothe ST.

BEST VALUES AT ALL TIMES

### Sciotoville And Wheelersburg

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold a business meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ernest Klueber, of Ten winds. All members are asked to attend this meeting, as officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Thomas Belmont, of Market street, returned home Monday evening from Columbus where he and Mrs. Belmont were the weekend guests of friends Mrs. Belmont will remain in Columbus until the latter part of the week.

Friends of Ger. H. Millhoff, who is in Martinsville, Ind., taking treatment for rheumatism have received word from him, saying that he is much improved.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Rehnard, of Bloom street, are expecting their sons Harold and Ray, who are attending college in M. r. r. t. home, the latter part of this week for a two week's vacation.

Mrs. Charles Buckley and daughter, Miss Emma, of Linwood, were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett, of Main street.

Section one of the Ladies Union, of the Christian church, will meet Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. After the business session the ladies will engage in quilting for the afternoon.

The Ladies Union of the Christian church will give a supper and fund work sale in the church basement on Thursday evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Robert Sloan, of Jackson street, who has been ill for some time, will be pleased to know that she is much improved.

Among the many shoppers in Portsmouth yesterday were Mrs. R. V. Blackburn and Mrs. John Dressler, of Fourth street, Mrs. Joseph Felder and Mrs. James Barnett, of M. r. r. t. street.

Class Number Five of the Christian church taught by Mrs. Charles Brock, will be entertained this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Felder of Main street.

### WHEELERSBURG

The annual passing party of the freshmen class of the Wheelersburg high school was held last Saturday night. Red and green colors predominated in the decorations, while games and piano music were the entertainment features. Refreshments of chocolate and cake were served. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keller and Miss Dorothy Shroom, Wheelersburg teachers, Miss Kate Seig and Miss Martha Cochran, Sciotoville teachers, and the members of the freshmen class.

Mrs. W. C. Burns of Hayport Road and daughter, Mrs. George Preston, were shopping in the city Monday.

The members of the Methodist church are planning to give three Christmas programs this year. Every one taking part in the program is requested to be at the church every evening this week at seven o'clock for practice. The first program will be given Sunday evening, including stereoscopic views and a number of Christmas songs by the choir. On Christmas morning at 5:30 o'clock Rev. W. A. Thomas will deliver a Christmas sermon and other numbers fitting for the occasion will be included on the program. The final exercises will be given Christmas evening at seven o'clock, when a specially arranged program will be given by the young people of the Sunday school.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. John Duls. A request is made that all members attend and bring their thank-offering envelopes, as they must be turned in at this meeting.

### WITH THE SICK

William Jackson of Tenth street, is ill with erysipelas.

Philip Hans, a resident of Madison street, who is in Indianapolis, receiving treatment for facial cancer, writes friends that he is improving.

John Skaggs of Ninth street is ill with quinsy.

### Back From Trip

Edgar Withrow of this city has returned from a several weeks' trip through Kentucky in the interest of the Highland Milk Condensing company of Philadelphia.

### Pay Day On N. & W.

Monday was pay day with the hundreds of N. & W. employees in East Portsmouth, the pay checks arriving at the psychological time for Xmas buying.

## Woman 80 Years Old

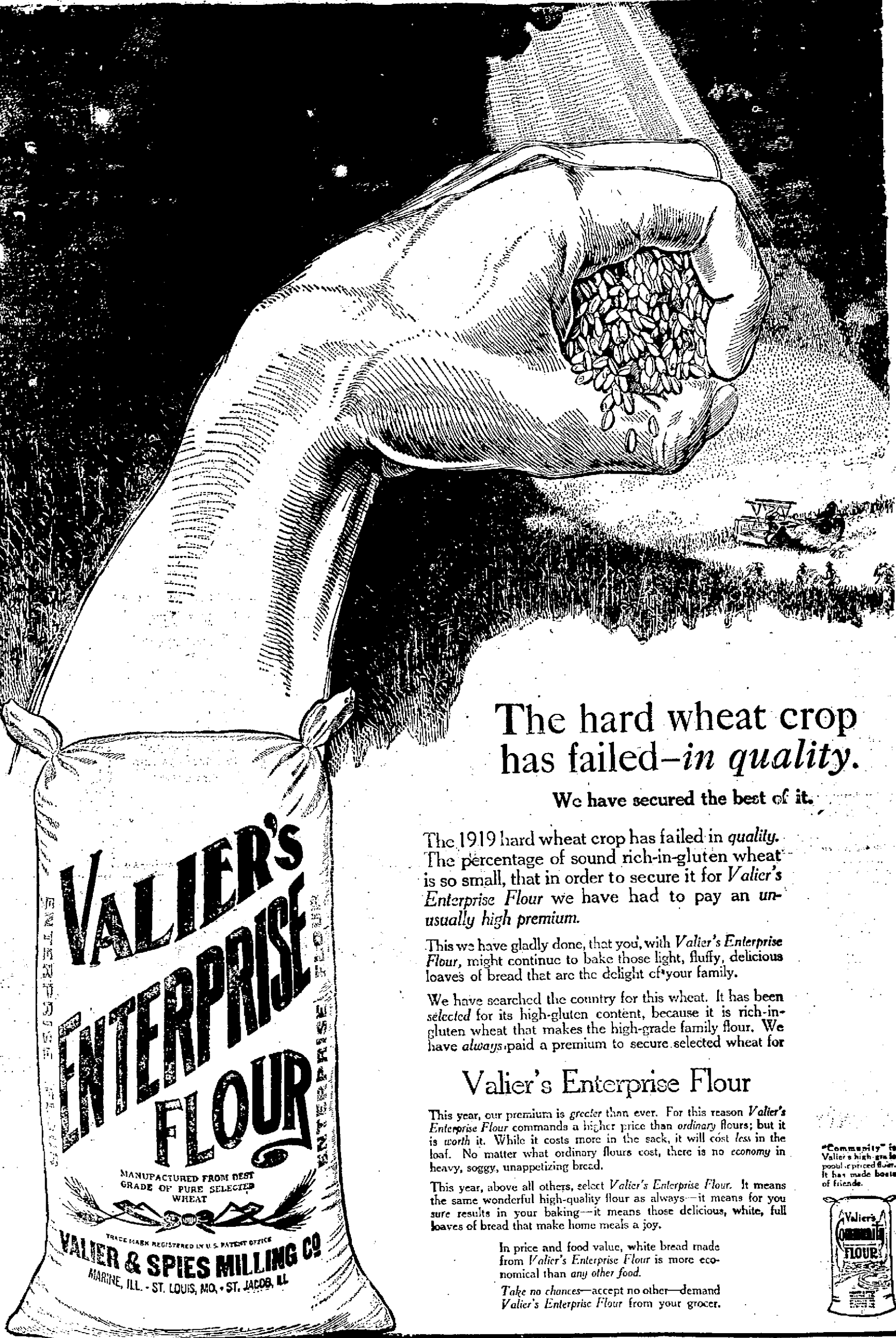
Says she owes her wonderful health to Vinol, our Cod Liver and Iron Tonic.



Wooster, O. — "The grudge left me in a weakened, run-down condition. Doctors had given me their best without effect. As I have depended on Vinol to build me up every spring for the past five years with such good results, I tried it. My appetite improved, my strength came back so I am not only taking care of my household duties, but direct the management of two large farms. I tell all my friends to use Vinol when they need strength." — Mrs. MARTHA SICKLES.

Women who are run-down, nervous, lack energy and working strength should take Vinol as it contains Beef and Cod Liver Peptides, Iron and Hypophosphites, the very elements needed to restore a lost appetite, enrich the blood and create strength.

Fisher & Stretch, Frank C. Miller, Flood & Blake and druggists everywhere.



## The hard wheat crop has failed—in quality.

We have secured the best of it.

The 1919 hard wheat crop has failed in quality. The percentage of sound rich-in-gluten wheat is so small, that in order to secure it for Valier's Enterprise Flour we have had to pay an unusually high premium.

This we have gladly done, that you, with Valier's Enterprise Flour, might continue to bake those light, fluffy, delicious loaves of bread that are the delight of your family.

We have searched the country for this wheat. It has been selected for its high-gluten content, because it is rich-in-gluten wheat that makes the high-grade family flour. We have always paid a premium to secure selected wheat for

## Valier's Enterprise Flour

This year, our premium is greater than ever. For this reason Valier's Enterprise Flour commands a higher price than ordinary flours; but it is worth it. While it costs more in the sack, it will cost less in the loaf. No matter what ordinary flours cost, there is no economy in heavy, soggy, unappetizing bread.

This year, above all others, select Valier's Enterprise Flour. It means the same wonderful high-quality flour as always—it means for you sure results in your baking—it means those delicious, white, full loaves of bread that make home meals a joy.

In price and food value, white bread made from Valier's Enterprise Flour is more economical than any other food.

Take no chances—accept no other—demand Valier's Enterprise Flour from your grocer.

"Commentary" to Valier's high-grade flour. It has made hosts of friends.



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## Shot By Mob

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., December 15.—With the pistol with which Meek shot the man who was murdered, Whitely and Whitfield were placed in the hands of the law. Whitely was arrested by Deputy Sheriff E. H. Chapman, and taken to jail at Logan. Whitfield was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Logan, and taken to jail at Logan. The bodies of the two men were found in a field near the river. The bodies were found in a field near the river. The bodies were found in a field near the river.

## Your Eyes

A Sensitive, Clearing, Refreshing and Healing Lotion—Mint for Redness, Swelling, Granulation, Itching and Burning of the Eyes or Eyelids. "Drop" After the Movies, Motorists or God will win your confidence. Ask Your Druggist to Marine when your Eyes Need Care. M. J. Martin Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

## SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Shively, of Rushdown, who have been ill with grip are considerably improved.

Miss Florence Deason, a Y. W. C. A. secretary in India, is in this country for a furlough during which she will visit different Y. W. C. A. centers in this country. Miss Deason is expected to arrive here Thursday, and will give a talk Friday afternoon, at the New Century Club meeting.

The son born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sany of Scioto Trail has been named Charles Wendell, Jr.

The members of the First Baptist church will meet with Arthur B. at 1516 Robinson avenue on Tuesday evening.

Miss Rebecca Gray, Joe Gable of Columbus, Miss Sara Mott Lou of Columbus, Mrs. James Gaines of Louisville, W. Va., Miss Mayme Meek of Ashland and Miss Mayme Schmitz of Greenup have returned to their respective homes after being called here to attend the funeral of the late Chas. A. Hubbert.

The T. H. B. club will meet Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. Harry Deason, 1011 Third street.

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS PRICE \$1.00  
6 BOTTLES FOR \$5.00  
TRIAL PACKAGE BY MAIL 10c  
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The Fisher and Stretch Pharmacy

Mrs. Caroline Burkel Hammerstein left today for her home in Akron after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burkel, Third and Bond streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Newman of Columbus are expected to go to Camp Dix, N. J., to visit Capt. and Mrs. Paul V. Kellog (Katherine Newman) during the holidays.

All young women in the city, interested in basket ball, are asked to come to the High School gymnasium tonight at 6 o'clock when the Blue Triangle team will be formed.

Miss Elsie Frautner, who has been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Deason of Scioto Trail, has gone to her home in Washington, D. C., to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Elizabeth Klotz, of Pittsburgh, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Kugelmann, 321 Fourth street.

## NIGHT HAVE SAVED YOURSELF EASILY

That intense tightness in your breathing and the soreness in your lungs are a warning that the cold has been getting deeper and more serious every day you neglect it. You might have avoided that cough, that sore throat, that chest trouble, that pneumonia, that bronchitis, that asthma, that emphysema, that heart trouble, that kidney trouble, that liver trouble, that stomach trouble, that nervous system trouble, that general debility, that weakness, that lack of energy, that loss of appetite, that indigestion, that constipation, that sleeplessness, that irritability, that depression, that melancholy, that despair, that death, by using these remedies as quickly as possible. These remedies have no harmful ingredients, and may be taken by the most delicate, but their remedial action is quick and powerful. Your druggist or your grocer will supply you, and you are not likely to make a mistake if you don't prepare for colds and coughs with these time-tested remedies—adv.



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## PROGRAM FOR OLYMPIC GAMES

**BRUSSELS, Monday, Dec. 15.**—The Belgian Olympic committee issued the official program for the Olympic games next summer as follows:

Yachting, July 21 and 22; shooting, to be contested at Beverloo, July 15 and August 2; polo to be contested at Ostend, August 3 and 4; archery, August 9 and 10; bicycling, August 15 and 23; tennis, August 15 and 20; Greece-Roman wrestling and boxing, August 27 and 31; wrestling, August 24 and September 3; fencing, August 21 and September 5; rugby and association football, August 22 and 27; modern pentathlon, August 24 and 29; gymnastics, August 30 and September 5; grass hockey, September 12; horse sports, September 22 and 29; swimming, September 27 and 29.

### 68,000 GIRLS DISAPPEAR

**NEW YORK.**—Sixty-eight thousand girls have disappeared from their homes in the United States during the past year, according to a statement by the Traveler's Aid Society.

### CASHIER SENT TO PEN

**DAYTON.**—Walter Davies, former cashier of city bank of Laramie, convicted of embezzling \$90,000, sentenced to an indeterminate term to the Ohio penitentiary.

### PREDICT ANNOUNCEMENT FROM PREMIER

**ROME, Dec. 16.**—Both the Epoca and the Giornale D'Italia express the belief today that an announcement of the solution of the Fiume controversy will be made by Premier Nitti at tomorrow's session of the chamber of deputies.

## WETS DEALT HARD BLOW

**NEW YORK, Dec. 16.**—Lawyers representing large liquor interests in New York intimated today that a civil action against the United States government might be the next step in the fight against prohibition and that compensation for losses estimated at \$300,000,000 would be asked. The lawyers asserted that the decision of the supreme court virtually confiscated the liquor held here.

Local banking circles will be put little affected by the court's decision, it was said. Large loans were outstanding on warehouse receipts earlier in the year, but nearly all have been liquidated in recent months.

The dismay with which the liquor trade received the news yesterday increased today. So confident were the wets that a favorable decision would be handed down that preparations were complete for delivery of thousands of dollars worth of liquor at short notice. The deals said it would now be physically impossible to ship the liquor in stock to foreign countries before January 16.

## POLICEMAN SLAYS ROBBER

**CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 16.**—Armed things scored two more victims early today and in one of the attacks a robber was killed in a revolver duel with a patrolman. The bandit victims were: John Vanikas, 22, restaurant keeper, shot through the neck in the downtown district, said to be dying; man believed to be Anton Toplak, 40, found probably fatally wounded, in East Cleveland, had resisted hold-up men.

The victim of the policeman's gun, shot while robbing Vanikas, is said to be Arthur Cameron, 27.

Three bullets from Patrolman William Takacs revolver brought down Cameron as he and a companion were holding up the restaurant keeper. In the exchange of shots Vanikas was shot through the neck by one of the bandits. The second bandit, said to be Christy Orr 19, was captured.

## Found Guilty

After thirty minutes deliberation, the jury in Common Pleas court returned a verdict of guilty Monday afternoon in the case of Charles F. Edwards, prominent Huntington manufacturer, charged with unlawful sale of goods. The charge grew out of the sale of suitcases to local customers.

## CAUGHT ANOTHER TERRIBLE COLD?

Relieve it quickly with Dr. Bell's Fine-Tar-Honey. STOP today at a disagreeable and dangerous cold. Let Dr. Bell's Fine-Tar-Honey exert its ability as a supremely beneficial help in relieving phlegm, stuffiness, inflammation, congestion, hoarseness, difficult breathing. Let it help you as it regularly helps thousands of others for whom its balsamic and healing properties never fail to promote recovery.

Safe for the little ones, too. One small bottle can be procured in your drugstore today. That's a wise thing to do. 30c, 60c, \$1.25.

**Dr. Bell's**  
Fine-Tar-Honey  
For Coughs and Colds

## OBITUARY

### John Piquet

Death claimed another well-known resident of Scioto county Sunday at 1 p. m., when John Piquet passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Kemper of Walts Station. Mr. Piquet had been ill for the past three months with heart trouble, and death came as a relief to his intense suffering.

### ROY C. LYNN

#### Ambulance Service

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Complete auto equipment of

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## COAL MINER'S TROUBLES ARE OVER AT LAST

"It's a fact, I was in such misery from stomach trouble and rheumatism that I was not expected to live but now after taking Tanlac I feel as fine as I ever did in my life, and have gained forty-two pounds in weight."

was the remarkable statement made recently by William Burg, a well known coal miner, who lives at 1713 East Miller St., Springfield, Ill.

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"But when I began taking Tanlac it went right after my troubles and I began to improve right away. All my troubles have completely left me and I feel twenty years younger. I can eat anything set before me without the least fear and every trace of the rheumatism has gone. I sleep like a log every night and work like a trooper every day. People who know my condition are actually astonished when they see me now and without question I consider Tanlac the best medicine ever made."

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### WILDE TO FIGHT IN OHIO

**CLEVELAND.**—Negotiations for a ten-round bout between Jimmy Wilde, fly-weight champion of England, and Carl Tremaine, Cleveland, at Canton, on New Year's day are concluded.

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**THE BUNNERS MEDICAL CO.,** Women's Dept. O, South Bend, Ind.

(This medicine is sold at all leading drug stores.)

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Shop Early—Suitable Gifts for All

Silk Waists

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Wool Hose

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Blankets

Vacuum Sweepers

Ladies' Suits

Parasols

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Furs

Knit Waists

Kid Gloves

Dress Goods

Fancy Towels

Comforts

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Perfumes

And many other useful Xmas gifts.

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## Held To Grand Jury

Charles Taylor, William Kumber and George Chappel, three Lucasville men arrested by the police last Saturday night upon complaint of Louis M. Distel, proprietor of the Crystal Palace billiard parlor in the East End, were bound over to the grand jury Monday night by Mayor Kaps on charges of having obtained money under false pretenses. Relatives obtained their release on bonds of \$100 each, pending the action of the grand jury. The three defendants were represented by Attorney Frank W. Moulton.

### Insist Bill Will Pass This Week

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## IT'S UNWISE

to put off to-day's duty until tomorrow. If your stomach is acid-disturbed take

## KI-MOIDS

the new aid to digestion comfort today. A pleasant relief from the discomfort of acid-dyspepsia.

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Director General of Railroads  
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DEPOT, SOUTH PORTSMOUTH

## WEST BOUND

Train daily ..... 5:30 A. M.

Train daily, ex. Sun. .... 8:01 A. M.

Train daily ..... 11:11 P. M.

Train daily ..... 11:20 P. M.

## EAST BOUND

Train daily ..... 11:30 A. M.

Train daily ..... 2:46 P. M.

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A poor diamond is not cheap at any price.

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Regular meeting of Solomon Council Monday, Dec. 16, at 7 p. m. Election of officers and work.

Special meeting of Aurora Lodge Thursday, Dec. 18th, at 3 p. m. Work in E. C. Degree.

## MASONIC NOTICE

Special meeting of Western Sun Lodge No. 31, F. & A. M., Wheelersburg, Ohio, Wednesday, December 17—7:30 p. m. Work in fellowcraft and E. A. Degree.

## WANTED

WANTED—Girl for toilet goods counter. Apply Anderson's Department Store. Ask for Miss Corrigan. 16-2t

WANTED—To buy modern 6-room house with bath. Phone 1618L. 16-2t

WANTED—3 or 4 furnished rooms or a flat. Rent of Schirrmann's hospital. Phone 162L. 16-2t

WANTED—Grand boy. Flood & Block's Drug Store. 16-2t

WANTED—Boy over 16 years old to help operate moving picture machine. See J. F. Potts. Arcana Theater, tonight from 6 to 7:30. 16-1t

WANTED—Shotgun must be in first-class condition. Phone 1153L. 823 17th street. 16-1t

WANTED—Girl for light housework, family of two. White or colored. 1533 7th. 15-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Washing to be arranged as desired. 1601 Fifth. 15-2t

WANTED—Middle-aged woman as housekeeper in family of two. 1910 11th. 15-3t

WANTED—Salesladies. Apply Miller's Dry Goods Co. 15-2t

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Safe, Clean, Sanitary Storage for household goods.

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We have a complete line of Auto Springs for all makes of cars.

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Farms, suburban and city property, moved to 1622 Dewey ave. Phone 1895-R.

FOR SALE—Wood or coal range.

\$12.00. 907 Ottawa St. 15-2t

FOR SALE—1917 Ford touring car.

winter top, new tires. Price \$270.

Phone Boston 40-K. Brown's Liv-

ery Barn. 15-3t

FOR SALE—Six cows. 411 Ohio ave.

New Boston. 15-3t

FOR SALE—Walnut music cabinet.

Phone 1158-X. 15-1t

FOR SALE—New six room house, 3921

Kenton avenue, bath, gas, electricity,

cellar and garage. Price \$4200.

Terms \$300 cash. Balance in 10m.

Phone 1331-Y. 15-1t

FOR SALE—Soldiers overcoat. Phone

2857-G. 15-2t

FOR SALE—An Auto Muffler a set

of 1917 emergency brakes, a set

of U-bolts, radiator cover and a

hundred other things we have make

a suitable Christmas present for the

Ford owner. Phil Jacobs, Auto Tires

and Supplies, 157 Third. 15-2t

FOR SALE—Harley-Davidson bicycles.

Last Christmas present you can buy

for your boy or girl. Cash or easy

terms. Open evenings. Phone 462.

Harry McKeer, 574-nd Second St. 14-1t

FOR SALE—Fine slung canals, 512

Seventh. 14-1t

FOR SALE—Saw dust. Delivered

Phone 908-X. 13-7t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop and

equipment in West End, on Second

St. Inquire 324 Second. 11-9t

FOR SALE—Two pet rabbits, 1 white,

1 black and white. 629 Fifth St. 11-1t

FOR SALE—125 acre farm, 3 separate

6 room houses with outbuildings.

Write or phone W. B. Evans, Gar-

rison, Ky. 6-14t

FOR SALE—Household furniture,

sold either by piece or as a whole.

Party leaving city. Bargain. Call

at the Southern Loan Office, 720

Chillicothe St. 10-1t

FOR SALE—Ohio's greatest land bar-

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Rings, Ladies and Gents' mountings.

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FOR RENT—Bedroom. Phone 1389M.

16-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for

light housekeeping, with conven-

iences. 529 Third street. 16-1t

FOR RENT—3-room cottage. 1504

High street, in rear. Inquire 1231

Eleventh street. 16-1t

FOR RENT—Two rooms, nicely furni-

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Fifth. 16-2t

FOR RENT—Good garage. 634 Third.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for

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herd's Restaurant, 1182 Tenth. 16-1t

FOR RENT—Rooms, 1401 6th St.

15-1t

FOR RENT—Garage, 1307 Ninth.

Phone 735-Y. 15-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished room for

light housekeeping. 1517 Jackson.

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FOR RENT—Farm 100 acres. Good

terms to good men, one with equip-

ment preferred. Birch Massie, Lu-

caville. 13-1t

FOR RENT—Room suitable for gro-

cery, good location. Phone Boston

40-R. Brown's Livery Barn. 15-3t

## LOST

LOST—Purse containing \$1.69 change

and 10-cent ticket on Second St. &amp;

Washington. Found y morning.

Phone 7000L. Reward. 16-1t

LOST—Child's gray neck piece on 9th

street. Finder please phone 15363.

16-2t

LOST—Male fox terrier, white with

one black ear and eye, bobbed tail.

Named Spot. Reward. Return to

1011 Summit street or phone 1618R.

16-2t

LOST—Pill from left between War-

ren and Market. Phone 2229-Y. Re-

ward. 16-3t

LOST—Signal ring initials M. F. C.

on main line car on or before St.

Sunday. Finder kindly notify M. F.

Coxsey. Phone 1255-Y. 16-2t

LOST—Brown flower kid glove for

left hand. Phone 445 or return to

Times office. 47-Ninth-Night-11

16-1t

LOST—Firestone cord tire on rim

2x4 1-2, between Lucasville and

Wakefield. Phone 167. Reward. 14-1t

LOST—Male foxhound, red with white

nose, bre. st and feet. Last seen

Monday November 24 northwest of

Lucasville. Finder notify J. D. Cur-

ry, Lucasville, Ohio. 13-3t

LOST—Gold wrist watch, gold face,

black hands, on leather strap—found

hempstead on Chillicothe to car line

on hilltop or main line car. Sun-

day A. M. Harriet Dale, Hemp-

stead Hospital. 15-2t

LOST—Child's gray fur neck-piece,

on Market or Second street. Finder

phone 1617-R. 15-2t

LOST—On street Saturday noon, ex-

press receipt book. Finder please

notify Gilbert Grocery Co. 15-2t

## MISCELLANEOUS

WICE—Typewriters cleaned, over-

hauled, repaired. 211 Chillicothe St.

12-1t

## NOTICE PHONOGRAPHS

REPAIRED

All makes. Phone 1157-M. Harry M.

Sweet 1152 St. 22-1t

NOTICE—Will party who called

Schwabacher, One St., New Boston,

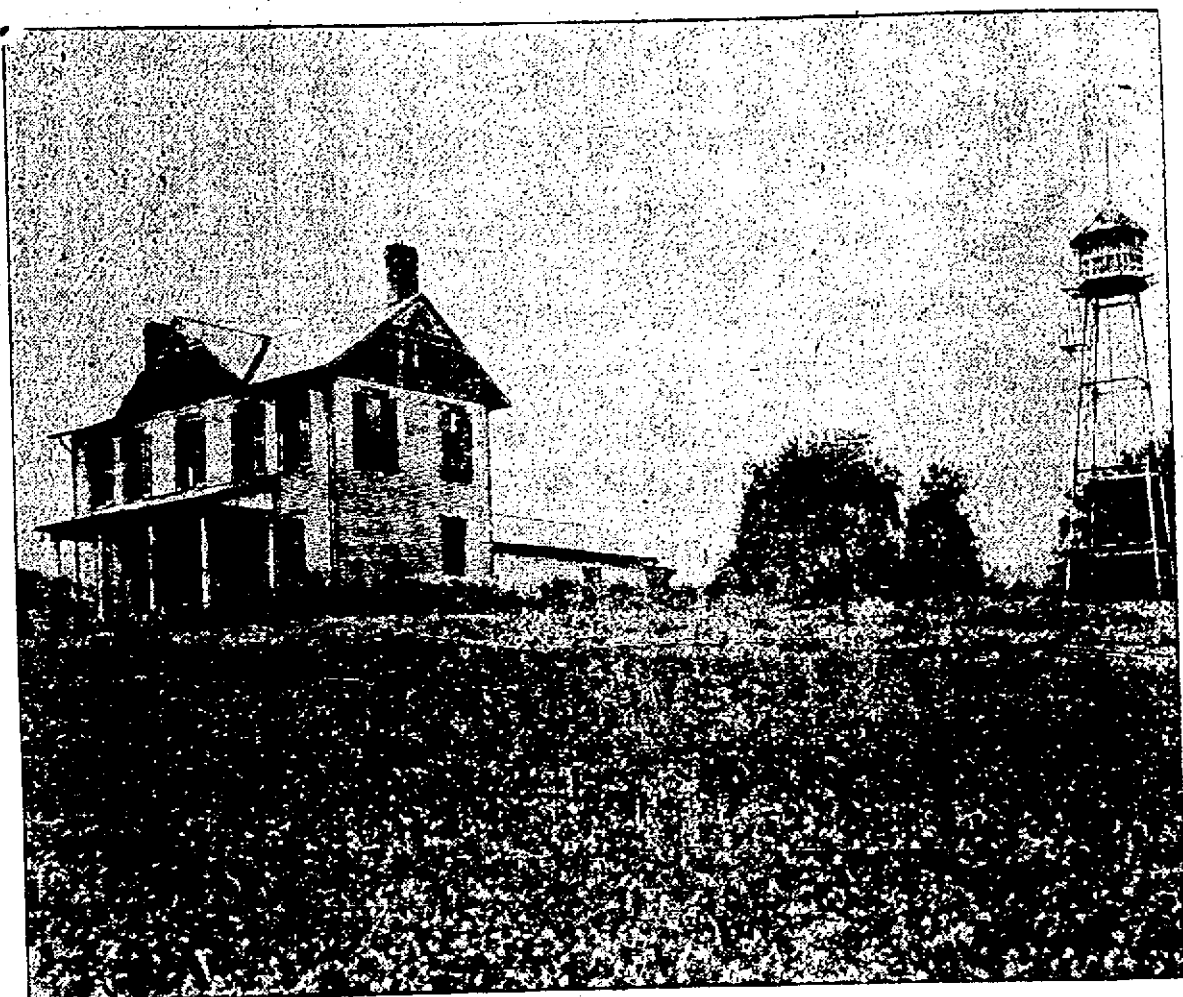
Monday evening, Dec. 8, in regard

to lost Chevrolet car, license No.

215107, please call again. 15-1t

Grand Distribution of Lots  
in Spellacy Sub-DivisionTakes Place at  
Ben Hur Hall

Saturday Afternoon, Dec. 20



THIS BEAUTIFUL HOUSE MAY BE YOURS FOR ONLY \$3 000  
BUY A LOT TODAY OR TOMORROW FOR ONLY \$300-\$500 Down, \$10 Per Month

Positively the greatest opportunity ever afforded the people of this community to own a fine home, with large lot for only \$300.00. All the buyers of lots are requested to meet at the Ben Hur Hall, Saturday afternoon, December 20, and witness the distribution of lots, which range in size from 50x150 to almost three acres—every lot selling at a uniform price of \$300, and every lot worth double that amount.

SPELLACY SUB-DIVISION consists of more than 300 beautiful lots. It is located on the West Side, within a stone's throw of Union Mills and is destined to become one of the greatest building sites in this section. It will soon be dotted with pretty homes and is going to be one of the main additions to the city of Portsmouth. Judging from present indications it will be connected with trolley service within the next few months and this will mean but five minutes' distance from the heart of Portsmouth. The street running the entire length of the sub-division is paved, affording ideal automobile facilities. The air is pure, the lots high and dry and the price so reasonable that anyone can afford to own one. At terms of \$50.00 down and \$10 per month, any one can own one and never miss the money. USE YOUR CHRISTMAS MONEY CLUB CHECK—MAKE IT BRING YOU FOUR FOLD. P. W. KILCOYNE, WHO HAS BEEN CONNECTED WITH REAL ESTATE IN PORTSMOUTH FOR MANY YEARS AND WHO HAS GAINED THE REPUTATION FOR FAIR AND HONEST DEALING WITH THE PEOPLE, GIVES HIS UNQUALIFIED ENDORSEMENT TO SPELLACY SUB-DIVISION AND IS POSITIVE THE LOTS WILL RAPIDLY INCREASE IN VALUE. INCIDENTALLY, MR. KILCOYNE WAS NEVER CONNECTED UP WITH A LOSING PROPOSITION. IN ORDER TO ACCOMMODATE THOSE WHO WILL FIND IT IMPOSSIBLE TO SEE MR. KILCOYNE IN THE DAY TIME HE WILL REMAIN AT HIS OFFICE IN THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK EVERY EVENING UNTIL THE DISTRIBUTION TAKES PLACE. HURRY AND ACT—SOME OF THE BEST PEOPLE AND MOST CONSERVATIVE REAL ESTATE BUYERS IN THE CITY HAVE PURCHASED FROM ONE TO SEVEN LOTS. GET IN ON THE GRAND DISTRIBUTION—THE HOUSE MAY BE YOURS FOR ONLY \$300.00.

Four Per Cent Off For Cash—Liberty Bonds Accepted At Face Value

P. W. Kilcoyne

52 First National Bank Building

Open Every Evening This Week



# Gifts the Men Will Appreciate

There's one member of the family that usually doesn't cause much worry at Christmas time over what to give him and that is "Dad." He always knows pretty well what he is going to get—usually waits for Christmas to come and supply him. We're speaking of such things as socks, ties, gloves, handkerchiefs, shirts, bath robes, bags, suit cases and such. If it were not for men's furnishings what in the world would the women folks find to give to the men of the family.

We knew you would be wanting a lot of ties, gloves and other things so we purchased very heavy and are all ready for you to come and choose.

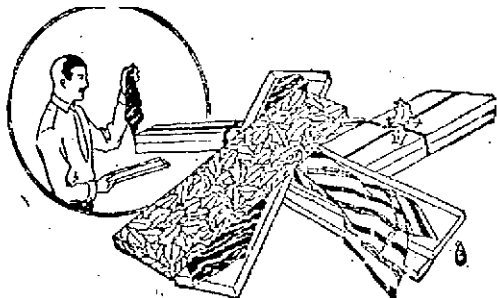
## Men's Silk Hose

Just the weights and styles all the men want. And how most men do like silk socks. Christmas is the time to give them. See our lines at 75c to \$1.50

## Men's Handkerchiefs

How accommodatingly handkerchiefs for men fit in to Christmas giving and here we have literally stacks of them in plain and initial in both cotton and linen. MEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS at 15c to 35c MEN'S PURE LINEN INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS at 75c MEN'S PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, plain, at 50 to 75c

## Men's Holiday Ties

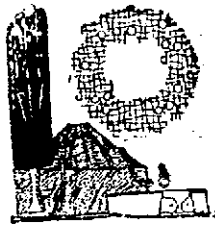


Here is where we shine. All the pretty combinations of shades and figures you could wish for and in the various grades. Just step in here and pick out what ties you expect to give at Christmas time.

Prices range 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.

MEN'S BELTS with the wearer's initial, \$1 and \$1.50 at

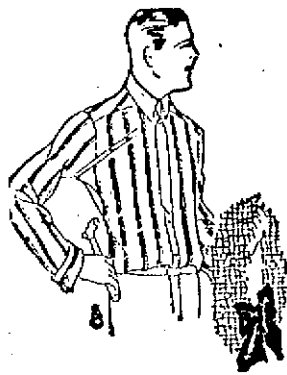
MEN'S MUFFLERS, always appreciated. We have them in all the good styles.



## Men's Gloves

Our glove stock reveals desirable numbers in both dress and driving styles. The former in the good shades of brown and black at \$2 to \$6 while the driving gloves come in plain or warm lined styles ranging in prices from \$2.25 to \$15

## Men's Eagle Shirts



Either cotton or silk and every one a beauty. Noted for fit and wear and nothing more acceptable to a man at Christmas time for no man ever had all the shirts he wanted. Eagle shirts range in prices from

\$1.50 to \$15

## Men's Mallory Hats

the kind every man wants. We have them in the popular styles and shades, cravenetted too, and that makes them rain proof and sun proof.

Prices \$4.50 to \$15

## Bath Robes \$6 to \$20



Perhaps he is expecting a bath robe for Christmas. If he is you no doubt know it by this time, and the sooner you buy it the better off you'll be and the surer of satisfaction he will be. Bath robes are getting scarcer and higher. That ought to be sufficient to prevent you from putting off your buying too long. Present stocks are priced at \$6 to \$20

TRAVELING BAGS AND SUIT CASES in a big showing of well made values in black and tan at \$5 to \$35

The Anderson Bros. Co.



## Children Appreciate Nice Gifts Like These

Our children's apparel section always supplies many, many gifts at Christmas time and this year is proving no exception. Parents and friends know well that most little girls appreciate nice new things to wear the same as anybody else and our big stocks certainly are capable of filling all requirements. For instance:

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS in white and colors in the latest styles you've seen and warm and durable. Ages 1 to 4 years for \$2.98 to \$7.50. Ages 5 to 14 years for \$3.50 to \$12.

KIDDIES' KNIT SWEATER SUITS, you know them and everybody thinks they are cute as well as serviceable and sensible for winter wear. Our prices are \$7 and \$8.

CHILDREN'S TAMS, every girl ought to have one for winter wear. We have them at \$2 to \$3.50.

TOQUES in white and colors at 50c to \$2.

HOODS at \$1.25 to \$3.

KNIT SAQUES for infants' wear in pretty styles and combination of light colors at \$1.25 to \$3.98.

BOOTHIES, now you know what to get baby, in cute, warm styles at 50c to \$1.75.

RAIN COATS and also capes that will defy any stormy weather. Give a child one of these and they will want it to pour down rain all Christmas day. \$1.50 to \$8.

PAUL JONES MIDDIES, while you're giving middies, give the best, and that's the Paul Jones brand. See what we have at \$2.50.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES of serge and gingham in all ages and various good styles in a varied assortment of prices.

CHILDREN'S FURS, just like mother's only smaller and how the little girls do love them. Prices \$1.50 to \$12.50.

SILK CARRIAGE COVERS for the wee little baby. Here are the kind that would delight any proud mother. Prices \$3 and \$4.50.

BABY BLANKETS at 90c to \$2.50.

Second floor annex

The Anderson Bros. Co.

# Before Christmas Sale of Millinery!

Here's where a woman can buy her own Christmas present and be sure of getting just what she wants. If you have been wanting a new hat but putting off the buying of it till prices came down, now is your chance to act.

Trimmed Hats \$2 to \$7.50

In this lot are all the trimmed hats in the store. Just think the best trimmed hats only \$7.50 and the others at \$2 and \$4. Come and get these fine models you have been seeing here but thought perhaps the prices were more than you cared to pay. This sale will work wonders in the way of clearance here.

SHAPES in two special lots at \$1.50 and \$3. Come for your choice.



Banded Hats \$5

Here are all our good banded models in Beaver, Velour and Hatter's Plush and Beaver combinations so popular and so scarce. In this lot at \$5 you will of course find many hats worth much more than this price. That's what makes this a real opportunity.

TRIMMINGS are marked at special prices now. It's a good time to buy.

## Children's Hats at 98c Up

The stock of children's hats is reduced in price also and the mother can now buy two hats for what one would formerly cost her.

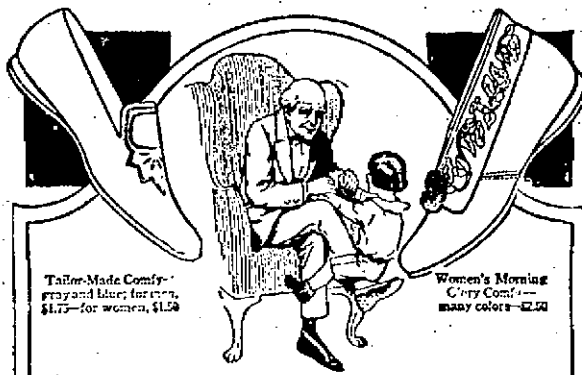
VELVET AND FRENCH FELT hats all neatly and attractively trimmed in childish modes now reduced to 98c, \$2 and \$3. Worth much more.

CHILDREN'S VELOURS AND BEAVERS now marked special at \$5.

BOYS' HATS (that is, little girls') in assorted styles but at prices that are all reduced.

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## Make All Feet Young

At night, take off your stiff leather shoes and slip your tired feet into a pair of soft Dan'l Green Comfy Slippers. These little beds of ease seem to rest your whole body, they rest your feet so well. There is a Dan'l Green Comfy for every foot. Call and see our wide variety of

DAN'L GREEN Comfy Slippers

Charming styles and shades for women. Little Picture Comfys for children. Sensible slippers for men. Only Dan'l Green's—with the Comfy scroll trade mark on the inner sole—are Comfys. It's a pleasure to sink into the thick, cushiony soles of Dan'l Green Comfys as you walk around the house.

The Anderson Bros. Co.



Stop this!

At first signs of a cold or grip take JANE'S GOLD TABLETS

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Jas. R. Smith  
Whereas, It has pleased God in his infinite wisdom to remove from our midst our beloved friend and brother, Jas. R. Smith,  
And, whereas, in his passing we have lost a true comrade and to those whom he was most dear a beloved husband and father.  
Therefore, be it resolved, that the Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators and Paperhangers of America, No. 255, extend their sympathy to the family during their bereavement. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, a copy signed upon the minutes and a copy published in the Labor Review and Portsmouth Daily Times, and that the charter be draped for a period of sixty days.  
C. R. SCOTT,  
ROBERT HAY,  
J. A. HAAG,  
Committed.

December 10, 1919.

## Mr. Varner Home

J. H. Varner of the Criterion Clothing company, has returned home from a brief visit to Cincinnati.

## Oh, You Black Diamonds

Six train loads of coal passed through South Portsmouth on the C. & O. this morning. There were more than 60 cars of coal in each train.

## All Victims Of Eczema's Itch Need Poslam

It is Poslam's mission to relieve itching eczema's cruel distress and to restore disordered skin to softness and health. Comfort comes as soon as it is applied to the sore places. Its concentrated healing power quickly shows. Each day should mark distinct improvement. So effective is Poslam for eczema, rashes, pimples, redness that just a little of it goes far, does much and lasts long. It's quality counts. For free sample write to Emergency Laboratories, 23 West 4th St., New York City. Try your skin to become fresher, clearer, better by the daily use of Poslam. Keep medicated with Poslam.

## FRANKLIN AVENUE M. E. CHURCH NOTES

Services Sunday were well attended, especially considering the weather. Fine spirit in all services.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society is arranging to send a Christmas gift to a needy preacher's family. Inquire about it and help along.

Tuesday evening the Foreign Missionary Society meets at the parsonage, 401 Third avenue. Meet ones joining Burke, Prester and Miss Gahler are hostesses. Friends and members are urged to attend. The ladies' chorus will sing.

Wednesday evening, 7:30, prayer service. Arrange the work so that at least one member of the family can come.

Thursday evening the choir will practice Christmas music. Special Christmas music program Sunday evening, December 23.

## PRESERVE YOUR STRENGTH AND

Energy for once lost, gone forever. It is ridiculous to suffer from sick headaches, poor stomach troubles and constipation when you can be made and kept well by using a daily treatment of Dr. Kerk's Vegetable Compound. 25c, drug stores—Adv.

## To Initiate Big Class

The Portsmouth Lodge of B. P. O. Elks No. 154 will initiate a class of 20 candidates Wednesday night. This meeting is moved up a week on account of the regular meeting being scheduled on Christmas eve. A buffet lunch will be served at the close of Wednesday night's meeting.

## Is Helping Out

Clifford Lutzler is helping out during the Christmas rush in the Schwartz Clothing company's store.

Mrs. Walter Wood is ill at her home on Baird avenue.



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TAKE America's greatest authors who write exclusively for Goldwyn.

REINFORCE their stories with stars whose talents are as great as their names.


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JEWELER AND OPTOMETRIST

## Lecture This Evening

Every citizen in Portsmouth who is interested in a memorial project in honor of the Seacoast county soldiers and sailors who served in the late war is urged to attend the lecture to be given at the high school auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock by Walter Storey, representing the New York Bureau of Memorial Buildings.

Mr. Storey will bring to Portsmouth practical ideas on the subject of "living" memorial buildings together with an outline of what has been accomplished in communities throughout the country which have undertaken such projects.

His lecture will be illustrated by lantern slides, showing views of memorial buildings already erected, plans and sketches of contemplated structures, and pictures of buildings in course of construction. His exhibit, hung upon the walls of the high school corridors, consists of 45 panels of like nature. The public is invited to view the exhibit at any time.

Mr. Storey spoke briefly at the high



So Handy! These New Gas and Electric Irons

They do the work better, quicker and with less waste of energy than the old sad irons that you have to lift back and forth from the hot stove to the ironing board. They make work easier and don't cost a bit more to use because of their economical fuel consumption. One examination will prove it—and the prices should appeal to you greatly.

Mother would be delighted with one for Xmas.

Alex M. Glockner  
Gay and Gallia



The reason why most girls keep on the \$9.00 level is because they have no \$17.00 or \$25.00 value for their employers.

Make yourself so efficient that you are worth \$25.00.

Our methods and system will surely help you; and you can join either our Day or Night Classes.

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**FRICK'S LAUNDRY BLUE**

This Statement Is Easily Proven

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5c  
"It Will Not Injure The Finest Fabric"

## Quick Relief For Eczema

San Cura Ointment Is a Marvelous Remedy for Many Other Skin Afflictions

San Cura Ointment has relieved many cases of itching, bleeding and protruding piles. It has drawn the poison from and completely healed running sores and fever sores which were so old and chronic that everyone who saw them considered them helpless.

San Cura Ointment is guaranteed by Fisher and Stretch Pharmacy to do as stated above and also to banish hemorrhoids, to heal ulcers, cuts, burns, scalds and bruises, or money back.

The same guarantee holds good for chilblains, chapped hands, and face, so you risk not a penny when you buy a jar for 50c, 60c, and \$1.25.

For tender skin and to secure a perfect complexion, use San Cura Soap. It is the best soap for babies, too, as it prevents contagion—25 cents.

Champion Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

Paid City a Visit

Mr. D. Weber, who was formerly director of the Bureau of Community Service here, was in the city for a few hours Monday. He was on his way to New York where he will spend the holidays with his parents. He is well known with his connections in New York city.

## Will Report On Campaign

The auditing committee of the Chamber of Commerce directorate, appointed Monday by President Alan N. Jordan, met at the Chamber headquarters this morning to audit the receipts and expenses of the recent membership campaign. A complete report of the financial end of the campaign will be made at the meeting of the directors tomorrow.

The committee on headquarters and equipment is to meet at 2 o'clock to consider the location of a permanent headquarters for the Chamber. Several places have been suggested, but there has been no definite action.

Strong sentiment in favor of listing the movement for cleaner alleys as one of the features of the major program of the Chamber next year developed at the group meetings of the Chamber at the high school building last night. Other major suggestions arising out of previous group meetings were discussed at length. Another group meeting will be held at the high school tonight.

See Hear-Get at Arcana Friday. Prices 15c and 20c.

MILLION DOLLAR FIRE

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 16.—The main plant of the Milburn Wagon Company was destroyed by fire here early today. The loss is estimated at more than \$1,000,000, including the building and a large stock. The blaze broke out in the paint shop and soon the entire building, which was an old one, was swept by fire. Street car service and trains on the New York Central line to Detroit were delayed when wreckage piled up on the tracks. Firemen fought the blaze in a below zero temperature.

LEONARD AND DUNDIE MATCHED

NEW HAVEN.—Benjamin Leonard and Johnny Dundie, New York, matched to box 20 rounds to a decision here January 18.

YOUNG FIFTEENMANS FIGHTS

NEWARK, N. J.—Young Bob Fitzsimmons, son of the former world heavyweight champion, out-boxed Ed Kirby, Newark, in his first professional contest, which lasted eight rounds.

## LITTLE LESSONS IN OPTOMETRY BY BENNETT-BABCOCK

Why are slight degrees of astigmatism often more bothersome than larger ones?

Because slight defects may be overlooked, while those that are more pronounced are quickly detected by the patient, and means promptly sought for their correction.

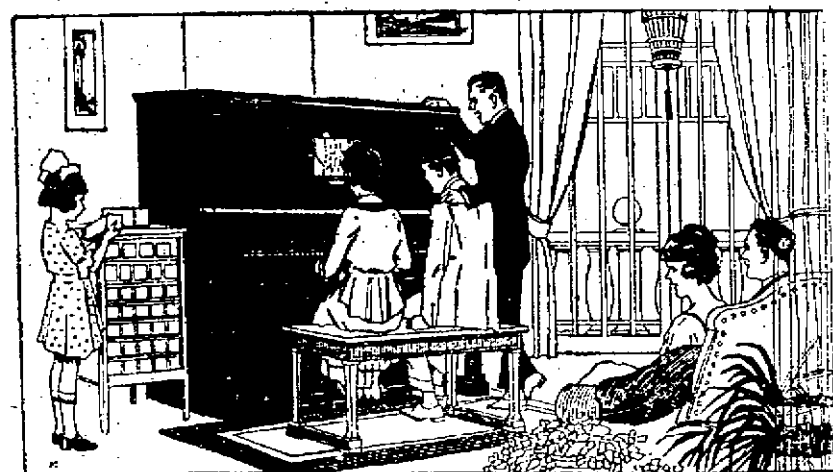
Then several minor defects of vision are liable to be the cause of more suffering than those of a greater degree?

Yes, an error which is large enough to be recognized by the patient is almost sure to be attended to, while those which cause trouble without the patient's knowledge are neglected.

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Christmas music that everyone can play with a Lyon & Healy Player Piano

As soon as you hear a new song you can get it, words and all, for a modern player piano. Then everybody can sing, for the song accompaniment is the work of two well known pianists who make a brilliant duet of it. This gives an inspiring foundation for informal family concerts.

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Convenient Monthly Payments.

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## BOWLING

In the Soby Bowling League games rolled at the Crystal Palace alleys last night, the Messengers won three in a row from the D.S. Strikers, the winners taking the last game by the margin of three pins. Faught was high man, with an average of 403. Pouch started good, but fell away down in his last game. The scores:

Messengers—				
Fryer	104	152	54	310
Duke	120	135	127	382
Billman	123	137	130	490
Faught	168	205	182	555
Pouch	200	165	95	460

Total	127	587	573	2087
Ink Slingers—				
Flowers	165	55	120	340
Cerrell	120	55	72	247
Rector	127	123	103	353
White	120	170	132	422
Penning	154	142	120	416
Total	691	617	599	2907

## Lower That Freezing Point

By getting a Sheela Bros. radiator then stop worrying about a burst radiator and motor.

Install the automatic and ride all winter without tire trouble.

Valveless, non-clogging, they oils and gas.

**SHELA BROS.**

Gallia and Gay Streets

## CONVENTION CALLED OFF

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 16.—The convention of the Ohio Association of Building Owners and Managers, scheduled to open here today, has been postponed indefinitely because the flu epidemic made it impossible for many of the delegates to attend.

## Hours Shortened

HUNTINGTON, Dec. 16.—The operation time of the city's public works has been reduced to three hours. The men work nine hours a day for the first five days of the month, and on Saturday, the men work eight hours on Saturday. Hunting-





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## SHE MARRIED AN AVERAGE MAN

Eric Sands has gone. Sure as I brighten up pathetically at the thought that it is better so, that nothing happy or profitable could come from our further or closer friendship. I still have a deep and wretched sense of loss. A sort of sadness weighs me down, as if some one who had looked to me for help and strength had been turned away without receiving it. As if some one who had offered me the best thing I possessed had been scorned and the precious gift declined. Which is true enough after all.

A woman loves finally. I don't care how old she is, or how wise, or how deeply interested in her own work, she loves the loss of the thing that has spelled romance. She closes a love chapter with tears of regret. She casts a longing, lingering look behind.

Love means so much more to a woman than to a man. That is why women are more often disappointed with marriage than men are.

I don't say it is any less the fault of the wife than of the husband, but there is such a "let down" in marriage after the first few months. It is only that which is the cause of the nature craves constantly the stimulation of sex interest and man's does not. She yearns to be made love to, to be thrilled, to be sentimentalized over long, long after the man has settled comfortably into the pipe-and-slippers state.

Where is the wife who doesn't fling with happiness if her husband unexpectedly telephones her during the day just to say hello or something?

Where is the woman to whom a letter addressed in a masculine hand does not bring a little start of romantic expectancy?

Where is the feminine creature of any age or station in life whose spirit does not soar at even a hint of a man's admiration?

Why, I've seen women of seventy

## LOCAL WOMAN ON THE WAY TO REAL HEALTH

Mrs. Schultz Says Vola-Tonic, "Builder of Strength" Is Wonderful

### Almost All Of Her Strength Was Gone

Now Getting Stronger Every Day And Is Feeling Fine

Mrs. Alice Schultz, of 1430 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, said her strength was gone almost entirely when she started taking Vola-Tonic, "Builder of Strength," but now she is getting stronger all the time and is well on the way to real health.

"I was so nervous that it seemed impossible for me to get a good night's sleep," Mrs. Schultz said. "Of course, I felt tired every morning and was weak and worn out all through the day."

"My stomach troubled me, too. I didn't have any appetite. When I did eat, my food nearly always soured on my stomach, and didn't digest right."

"I've only been taking Vola-Tonic about a week now but it proved to be a wonderful medicine in my case."

"I have not been troubled the least bit with nervousness since I started taking Vola-Tonic and I sleep soundly every night."

"The trouble I had with my stomach is gone, too. Food digests properly now, and doesn't sour on my stomach."

"My strength was just about gone when I started taking Vola-Tonic but I'm getting stronger all the time now and am well on the way to real health."

"I think Vola-Tonic is wonderful and advise all weakened people to take it."

Vola-Tonic is a wonderful strength-builder and helps health all over. Vola-Tonic, "Builder of Strength," is being specially introduced in Portsmouth at Fisher & Streich's pharmacy.

## FRANK WALTER'S CUT RATE GROCERY

Just Opened Up All New Stock  
Phone 2324 1015 Waller Street  
We deliver the goods. Sugar with all orders.

Tomatoes, No. 2	15c	<b>ALL BREAKFAST FOODS</b>	
Tomatoes, No. 3	22c	Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 2 for	25c
Corn	18c	Post Toasties, 2 for	25c
Cuba Corn	16c	Mother's Oats, 2 for	25c
Peas	17c	Grape Nuts, 2 for	25c
Pine Crest Peaches, No. 3	35c	Cream of Wheat, per box	25c
Pumpkin, large size	15c	Buckwheat Flour	15c
Honey, large size	15c	Prunes, per pound	27c
Apples, No. 3	20c	Cream Nut	35c
<b>PORK AND BEANS</b>		<b>SOAPS</b>	
Moss Rose	10c	Star Soap, 10 for	80c
Campbell's, large size	20c	P. & G. Naphtha, 10 for	80c
Campbell's Soups, 2 for	25c	Borax Chips, 2 for	25c
Large jar apple butter	35c	Toilet Soap, 6 for	25c
Kirsch's pickles	25c	Lava, 10 for	80c
Small Milk, 6 for	45c	<b>SYRUP</b>	
Mus. #1, large jar	10c	Karo 1 1/2 pound can	20c
Matches, per box	3c	Peumant, 5 pound can	54c
<b>MACARONI AND SPAGHETTI</b>		Sugar Butter, large can	45c
3 large packages	25c	Bread	9c
<b>SPECIALS ON TOBACCO</b>		<b>LARGE ENGLISH WALNUTS</b>	
Any kid scrap, 3 pkgs. for	25c	While they last, per lb.	45c
		Xmas Candies, per pound	35c

## How a foreign princess Became an American Queen

A Round-the-World Romance In a Live-Wire Photoplay  
**The Lost Princess**  
A William Fox Production Starring  
**Albert Ray and Elinor Fair**

Enchanting Comedy Smiles And Tears The Thrills of Youth And Of First Love  
Directed By Scott Dunlap

## STRAND TONIGHT

**Fix Minstrel Dates**  
The Ceeks will give their annual minstrel in the high school auditorium on February 9 and 10, these dates being definitely fixed today. The proceeds as usual will be added to the "Shoe a Poor Kid" fund.

Hugh Ruel, a clever black-face comedian, will have charge of the minstrel.

Valentine W. Huston of Third Street has been ill several days.

**NUXATED IRON**  
HELPS GIVE VIM  
TO THE ATTRACTIVE YOUNG GIRL  
PUNCH  
TO THE STURDY YOUNG FELLOW  
ENERGY  
TO THE BUSINESS MAN & WOMAN  
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TO THE STRONG RUGGED FATHER

3,000,000 people use it as a Tonic, Strength and Blood-Builder

## New - York - Day - By - Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

New York, Dec. 15.—The way the little hands of war millionaires are volplaning into Gotham society is upsetting all social traditions. Haughty matrons at almost any gathering may lift their eyebrows to inspect their dinner companion and gaze into the ruddy countenance of a former pugilist. Only the smelling salts save them.

Society editors cannot get the hang of things anymore. Mr. DePuy Jones Jones is discovered to be the former Margie McGee, who, until three years ago, put the buttons in her husband's shirt and fixed his bath on Saturday nights.

Now who is among New York's elite and is turning the crumbs for a crust into British society. The latest look or guide to society shows 500 new names. None is of the old New York families. Money seems to have opened the closed doors.

One society editor tells of a function on Fifth Avenue the other night where a newly made millionaire was with unfortunate good-luck forcing a cigar on an abashed footman. The old crowd resents this vulgar intrusion but the younger element likes it.

Most of the young folk got a taste of champagne in New York. If a newly rich lady has a home next door, they get acquainted. Then come invitations and the new crowd reciprocates in such lavish style that everybody goes for fear of missing something really big.

Great homes of massive architecture are being bought in the exclusive sections by the new crowd. They are equipped with everything from hot and cold running butlers to ancestral portraits. The shops show them the greatest deference because they do not ask the prices. And they pay their bills promptly.

Nobody seems to understand this sudden invasion by the newly rich. It has come about despite vigorous protests of the old guard. But it is indicative of a new order of things. New values are placed upon people. Family history does not mean as much as it did.

Still there is talk of a new social leadership—some one who will "carry on" and separate the wheat from the chaff, so to speak.

A young Kentucky girl with hazel eyes and black hair, anxious to sing in opera came to New York last summer to seek an engagement. She called upon the President of the Society of

## Says Politician For Cox Is Strong In West

C. E. "Gene" Berridge, connected with the State Securities Department at Columbus, was the guest of home folks at fronton over Sunday, returning to Columbus yesterday. Mr. Berridge has just returned from a trip of four weeks through the west, where he was looking after business connected with the securities department. He says he was not only gratified but much surprised at the favorable sentiment through the west for Governor James M. Cox for the Democratic nomination for president in 1920. He says the big political men throughout the country have Governor Cox in mind and regard him as one of the big men of the nation and fully qualified for the presidency. He says he also finds a great many Democratic voters in the west, but he does not think the sentiment in his favor is so strong now as it was a few months ago.

## To Visit Pals

Charles Dougherty, 1632 Eleventh Street, left Tuesday for Cleveland where he will visit for several days with his former comrades in the 308th ammunition train.

## Elbe Martin



Most of the fellows you see must have left their hats on when they get a hair cut. Ohio has seen as much on such a day as dry question that Pinks (the wet) in Cincinnati is amply justified.

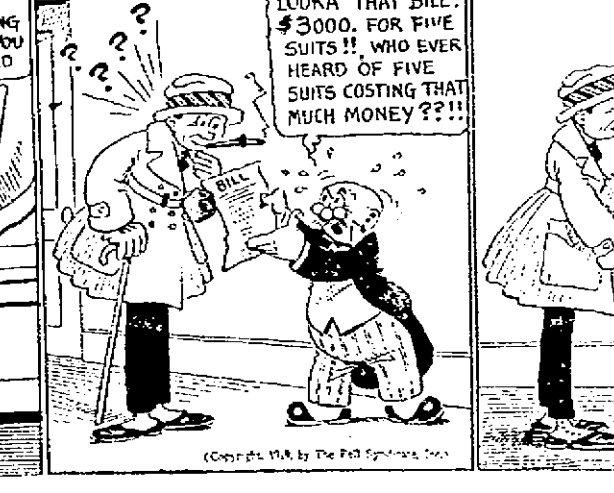
## LOUIS THE LAWYER



## He Was Lucky To Get The Other Three



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**Getting a Job**  
"How did that job ever secure an engagement, I wonder?"  
"Why didn't you read about it? She applied to a manager who refused to listen to her and she shot him. Then she had several offers."—Florida Times-Union.

**He Got It Anyhow**  
Medical officer (assigning man to labor battalion)—"Do you think you are fit for really hard labor?"  
Hard Case—"Well, sir, some of the best judges have thought so."—Pittsburgh Courier.

**All That Was Left**  
A negro died without medical attention—and insurance, of course—and the coroner went to hold the inquest.  
"Did Samuel Williams live here?" he asked the weeping woman who answered his knock at the door.  
"Yes," she replied between sobs.  
"May I see the remains?" asked the coroner.  
"You are lookin' right at 'em. I'm de remains."

**Hard Task**  
With much whistling and creaking of encouragement the old man had just got his donkey cart to the out-

**Authentic**  
Bill—You read that there are some who favor hanging German conspirators?  
Bill—Where did you read that?  
Bill—In the newspaper.

**His Fine Training**  
Old Sayre Grammons—Bill, I've been makin' a good rattlin' record down there few congressmen in the U.S. and take relief. He's a damn good trainin'.

**Back From Meeting**  
Frank M. Borge and A. E. Sheldon have returned from Washington. They have attended a meeting of the N. E. Council and have been very successful in the work of the N. E. Council.

**Back To Work**  
Charles Higgins of Gallia Avenue has resumed his work at the N. E. Council after being confined to his home for some time on account of illness.



# NOON EXTRA

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1919

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## COAL OUTPUT NEAR NORMAL

### LOADED GONDOLAS RUSHED AT HIGH SPEED FROM MINES

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Production of fuel, made necessary by the forty day strike, had been relieved today. While other cities resumed normal business hours, and factories, began full time work instead of the three-day week, the coal shortage caused, Spokane, Washington and Boise, Id. no, found it necessary to maintain the fuel saving rules.

Severely cold weather, moderating, however, still prevailed over most of the middle, south and northwest.

In the middle west shipments of coal from the mines today were made on express train schedule. After 9 o'clock this morning even passenger trains gave way to the rush of coal filled gondolas.

Virtually all restrictions on use of

82 YEARS OLD AND ONE-LEGGED,  
BUT OPERATES 80 MINING CLAIMS



Larry Hingo, his partner and two friends at the entrance to one of his mines.

In the middle of a Nevada desert lives Larry Hingo, a one-legged hermit, who in spite of his eighty-two years is operating more than eighty mining claims. His partner is Miss Christine Cornelius.

### 1,300 BRITISH TROOPS IN PERSIA SLAIN, REPORT

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Thirteen hundred British troops in Persia have been wiped out by the hostile population, it is claimed in a Moscow wireless message reaching here today. The troops, the dispatch says, comprised the garrison of the town of Meshed (possibly Meshed, northeastern Persia, northwest of Herat, Afghanistan).

### STEALS WINE WITH SIPHON

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—An ingenious thief here stole nine barrels of sacramental wine by siphoning it from the basement where it was stored by means of a 75-foot pipe to an adjoining cellar.

### URGE COMPLETE GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF NATION'S SUGAR

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—Sending public.

The McNary bill was passed last week by the senate, and its supporters fear if it is amended it cannot be finally adopted before the holiday recess.

### WEATHER

OHIO—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Except probable snow flurries near Lake Erie. Continued cold.

### TEACHERS' PAY RAISED

CLEVELAND—Cleveland board of education grants increases to all teachers and principals ranging from 15 to 20 percent.

### WETS DEALT HARD BLOW BY DECISION

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Lawyers representing large liquor interests in New York intimated today that a civil action against the United States government might be the next step in the fight against prohibition and that compensation for losses estimated at \$300,000 would be asked. The lawyers stated that the decision of the supreme court virtually confiscated the liquor held here.

Local banking circles will be put little affected by the court's decision, it was said. Large loans were outstanding on warehouse receipts earlier in the year, but nearly all have been liquidated in recent months.

The dismay with which the liquor trade received the news yesterday increased today. So confident were the wetters a favorable decision would be handed down that preparations were complete for delivery of thousands of dollars worth of liquor at short notice. The deals said it would now be physically impossible to ship the liquor in stock to foreign countries before January 14.

### Insist Bill Will Pass This Week

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—The Cummins railroad bill comes up again today in the senate at 1 o'clock with Senator Stanley, Democrat, Kentucky, slated for continuance of his speech which yesterday was interrupted by adjournment. Mr. Stanley has offered an amendment to eliminate the anti-strike provision. Although there are apparently slim prospects for the passage of the measure by the end of the week, when Christmas recess will be taken, leaders insist that the bill will be adopted this week by a narrow margin.

Passage of the bill, designed to meet the needs of the railroads upon their return to private operation, was necessary before January 1, several senators declared, as there has been no word from the White House to indicate President Wilson had reversed his announced decision to surrender the lines of the first of the year.

Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, introduced a bill at last night's session, proposing public ownership and government operation of the railroads. It was referred to the interstate commerce committee.

### BANK ROBBERS BURN MONEY WITH TORCHES

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 16.—Robbers last night used acetylene torches to burn their way into the vaults of the Johnstown bank, escaping with \$2,000 worth of government bonds. Between \$1,000 and \$5,000 in currency was destroyed by the flames of the torches.

Benjamin Cash, on his way home from a lodge meeting, was seized by the robbers, taken into the bank, bound, gagged and blindfolded. He was kept prisoner during the operations of the robbery. The hunter found Cash when the bank was opened this morning.

The robbers stole the neckties out of from a Newark garage. Police and county officials were told that an automobile believed to have been used by the robbers in their getaway was seen at Alexandria early this morning and later at Jacksonville.

Robbers cut the telephone cables in five places before going to work, and when Cash was set free, it was some time before telephone communication with Newark could be established.

C. L. McCrack, cashier of the bank, and Congressman W. A. Ashbrook, sole owner of the institution.

### 75 PERCENT PRODUCTION IN OHIO MINES

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 16.—Mining of bituminous coal in Ohio, estimated at 75 per cent of normal yesterday, was expected today to reach practically normal production. That nearly all of the union miners of this state would have reentered the pits today was the opinion of both operators and union officials.

W. D. McKimney, secretary Southern Ohio Coal Exchange, said that in the southern Ohio coal fields production amounted to 1,003 cars yesterday as against a normal output of 1,400 cars. Production in theocking district, however, was only about 60 per cent, according to Mr. McKimney.

### WILDE TO FIGHT IN OHIO

CLEVELAND—Negotiations for a ten-round bout between Jimmy Wilde, fly-weight champion of England, and Carl Tremaine, Cleveland, at Canton, on New Year's day are concluded.

### YOUNG FITZSIMMONS FIGHTS

NEWARK, N. J.—Young Bob Fitzsimmons, son of the former world heavyweight champion, outboxed Ed Kinley, Newark, in his first professional contest, which lasted eight rounds.

### CONVENTION CALLED OFF

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 16.—The convention of the Ohio Association of Building Owners and Managers, scheduled to open here today, has been postponed indefinitely, because the fuel situation made it impossible for many of the delegates to attend.

### MILLION DOLLAR FIRE

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 16.—The main plant of the Milburn Wagon Company was destroyed by fire here early today. The loss is estimated at more than \$1,000,000, including the building and a large stock. The blaze broke out in the paint shop and soon the entire building, which was an old one, was swept by fire. Street car service and trains on the New York Central line to Detroit were delayed when wreckage piled up on the tracks. Firemen fought the blaze in a below zero temperature.

### CUBS GOING TO COAST

CHICAGO—Chicago Cubs will leave February 28 for Pasadena, Cal., to begin spring training season.

### OPPOSED TO INCOME TAX BILL

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 16.—With the return of members of the general assembly to Columbus today, interest centered on the probable action on the income tax bill. The entire Cincinnati delegation went on record at a meeting in Cincinnati yesterday as opposed to the income tax bill.

If the city representatives are against the bill, it is doubtful there is little chance for its passage. It is largely a city relief measure, and rural leaders in the assembly today declared that if the city representatives are not in favor of it there is no reason why the rural members should support it.

The Executive Committee of the State Federation of Labor was meeting here to consider pending legislation.

The public health committee was to take up the proposed amendments to the Hughes health code today.

### LEONARD AND FUNDEE MATCHED

NEW HAVEN—Benny Leonard and Johnny Fundee, New York, matched to box 21 rounds to a decision here January 10.

### THE ART OF SAVING

Saving is not a Science; it is an Art. A Science is something that can be taught from a book, an Art is something you learn through practice. There is only one way to master this Art. Begin to Save, and keep it up. Open a Savings Account in this Bank.

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### POLICEMAN SLAYS ROBBER

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 16.—Armed bandits shot two more victims early today and in one of the attacks a policeman was killed in a revolver duel with a bandit. The bandit victims were: Vanikas, 22, restaurant keeper, shot through the neck in the downtown district, said to be dying; man, said to be Anton Toplak, 40, found fatally wounded, in East Cleveland, had resisted hold-up men.

The slaying of the policeman's gun, while robbing Vanikas, is said to be Arthur Cameron, 27.

Two bullets from Patrolman William T. Baker, revolver brought down on him as he and a companion were shot up the restaurant keeper. In exchange of shots Vanikas was slain within the week by one of the police. The second bandit, said to be George Cox, 19, was captured.

### TO DISCUSS COMPENSATION

PARIS, Dec. 16.—A new German mission arrived in Paris this morning to discuss compensation for the captured German warships in the Atlantic.

## Arcana Today—Charles Ray

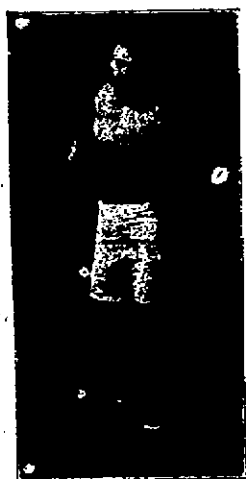
In The Paramount Feature

## "Son of a Father"

5 Big Reels Of Drama 10c and 15c

# Great Interest Shown In Friday Night's Fistic Battle

## Whitaker-Glessner Club Has Arranged Fine Bout At The Wilhelmette Hall



**FRANKIE NESSLER**  
Cincinnati Light-Weight, who is to fight Tommy Teague, of Indiana, in a ten round bout at Wilhelmette Hall, Friday evening of this week. The fight will be conducted under the auspices of the Whitaker-Glessner Club.

Two of the best boys for inches and weight in the country, Frankie Nessler, of Cincinnati, and Tommy Teague, of Indiana, known all over the fighting domain as the "Hoosier Bear Cat" are to face each other in a ten-round bout at Wilhelmette Hall, Fourth and Court streets, Friday evening of this week, for the light-weight championship of the central states.

The fight, which will be preceded by several interesting preliminaries, will be held under the auspices of the Whitaker-Glessner Athletic Club and promises to be the best fight attraction ever decided in this part of the country. The two men have an old grudge to settle and this always tends to make a fight more interesting. They met recently in Cincinnati and the newspapers gave Nessler a single "Teague declares the worst he should have received was a draw and declares his intentions of going after Nessler to wipe out the unfavorable verdict. The two men are trained to the minute and they will be in shape to put up a hurricane argument from the top of the gong. They will arrive here on the afternoon of the bout and will weigh in at the Wilhelmette Hall at three o'clock. They have posted forfeits to weigh in at 133 pounds or less, and no doubt a large crowd will be on hand to witness the weighing in process.

The fact that the Whitaker-Glessner Athletic Club is behind the project means that everything will be conducted in a high-class manner. No expenses will be spared to provide accommodations and conveniences for those who attend the fight. High-class thrills, who know the fight even backwards as well as forward, will be the third man in the ring and this means the two young contenders will be forced to fight all the time. The general public is delighted to know the conclusion to the fight will be but \$125 per box included. This means everyone will be privileged to go so far as "champion" is concerned and there is no question but every such of available space will be accounted for. Tickets are selling rapidly and when 500 are sold the sale will be closed off, for the promoters are anxious that all who have a ticket get a good view of the action in the ring.

Tickets can be secured at the Play House, Single House or at the Wilhelmette Hall and those who desire to see the bout are advised to buy at once and prevent disappointment. The officers of the club are to be congratulated upon having secured two such noted opponents as Nessler and Teague. They are recognized as exceptionally bright stars in the fighting domain and both are in line for higher honors. Killebrew, the redoubtable Johnny, king of light-weights, says that "Teague is a coming champion and represents a bright future for him. Nessler has had several fights with the big boys and has always given a good account of himself. All in all everything points to a great entertainment. Women are cordially invited to see the fight as special arrangements have been made for their convenience. The men will take place promptly at 9 o'clock. Russ White has been selected as official time keeper.

### TO OUTLINE PLAN AT MEETING

Members of James L. Dieber Post American Legion, have been invited to attend the meeting of the high school auditorium tonight at which Water Street of the New York Bureau of Community Buildings will outline a plan for the construction of a "living"

memorial in honor of the Selo's county soldiers and sailors who served in the late war.

Howard Harshbarger, commander of the Post, desires a good representation of the members at the meeting.

### One Claim Allowed

Among the claims allowed by the Postoffice Department during the year, as set forth in the report of Postmaster General A. S. Burleson to Congress, was that of George Russ, postmaster at Schuetteville for loss by burglary. A small sum of money was allowed. The amounts of the claims were not given, but in no instance did one exceed a few hundred dollars, the report said.

### Do Not Want Letter

The Varsity Association of P. H. S. petitioned the teachers at their meeting Monday to award the debaters of P. H. S. a different recognition than the usual letter.

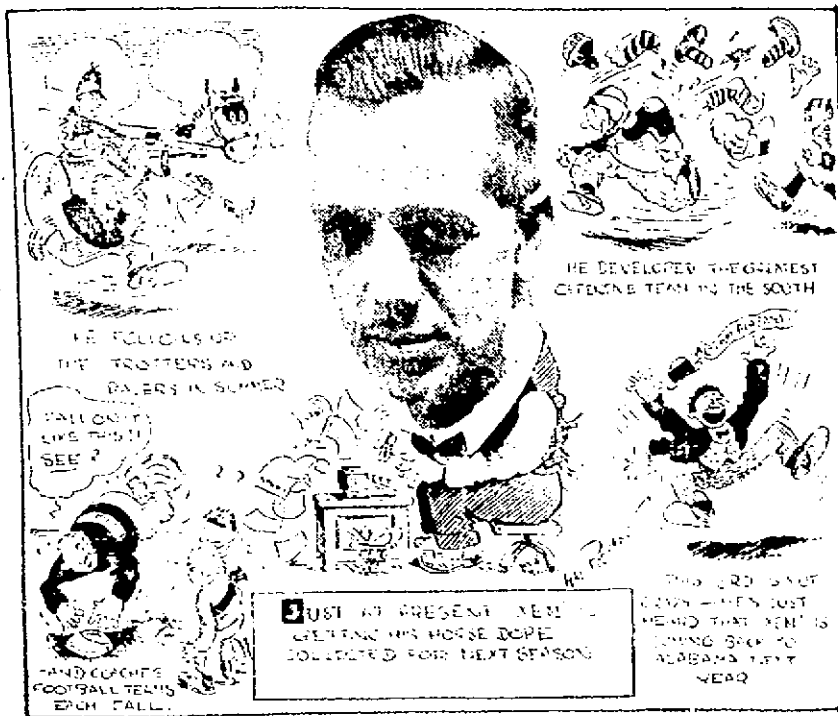
Edward Culliffe, secretary of the Association, stated that the athletes wished to be awarded different recognition from the debaters and suggested that medals or some such award be given the debaters.

## FOSTER MAY SUCCEED GARRY HERRMANN

One of the interesting situations in connection with the resignation of John B. Foster as secretary of the New York National League baseball club is the announcement already made by Foster that he is a candidate for the chairmanship of the National Commission.

Garry Herrmann has repeatedly during the last year made the statement that he would resign the chairmanship of the National Commission. A man with a position as valuable as Foster's does not resign from free will to become a candidate for another office, unless he knows his ground.

### SPEAKING OF VERSATILITY IN SPORT—THERE'S XEN SCOTT



HE DEVELOPED THE GREATEST DEFENSE TEAM IN THE SOUTH

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## BOWLING

### TRAM PIN LEAGUE

Clubs	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Dawsons	20	19	11	.633
Sheltons	27	17	10	.630
Hornets	27	15	12	.556
Wingfoots	27	14	13	.519
Hornets	27	11	16	.407
Keystones	27	8	19	.296

Schedule  
Hornets vs. Sheltons, December 17.  
Wingfoots vs. Hornets, December 18.

Clubs	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Keystones	70	105	98	.513
Hornets	85	85	85	.500
Hager	97	75	114	.400
Blind	85	85	85	.500
J. Wilhelm	153	118	104	.531

Totals	501	498	536	1455
Dawsons	117	95	91	.563
Snyder	100	133	119	.572
W. Crichton	77	157	117	.571
Lewis	62	101	86	.540
Frazier	121	122	118	.509

Totals 597 628 626 1657

### MASONIC LEAGUE

Turkeys Annihilate Lumberjacks

Clubs	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Springer	131	112	135	.451
Selby	106	113	125	.475
Stratton	112	119	158	.419
Duchler	112	132	101	.567
Sprague	162	145	142	.507

Totals 533 631 732 2026

### MASONIC LEAGUE

Specimen

### Norwoods

Schulwoods Take Two

Clubs	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Herr	150	151	145	.510
Springer	121	123	127	.491
Duchler	98	121	135	.471
Blind	125	125	125	.500
Young	137	157	159	.483

Totals 631 712 694 2037

### Invincibles

Clubs	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Blind	125	125	125	.500
Lloyd	116	112	105	.509
Blind	125	117	125	.491
Staten	125	129	132	.488
Higgins	108	108	140	.438

Totals 672 689 687 2048

# Dempsey Must Defeat Carpenter To Claim World's Championship

Jack Dempsey cannot claim the championship of the world until he defeats George Carpenter. Neither can Carpenter claim it until he defeats Joe Bonner, England's best man.

The championship of the world can only be decided by Dempsey and Carpenter getting together and settling the issue.

Neither has a right to claim the championship until the real question is decided between them. For Dempsey's friends to laugh at Carpenter's claim is simply contemptuous. For them to say that Carpenter is no match at all for their man is so much humbug.

As a matter of fact, Carpenter has nearly as good a record as Dempsey. His fight with Quabont Smith in London, which he won in six rounds, his quick victories over Bombardier Wells and Becker, bigger and stronger men than himself long ago proved him a tough customer.

Dempsey looked great when he met and defeated Willard, but he looked bad in that second round at Toledo when Willard was really fighting and slugged him hard in the face. Had Willard had anything behind that blow it would have been serious for Jack.

The strenuous work he did in the war probably did no harm to Carpenter. In all likelihood it made him harder and more fearless than ever, and those things count for more than anything in a fight.

Carpenter was perhaps never stronger and better in his life than he is today, and the same may be said for Dempsey. They are both in such fine shape, in fact, that a battle between them held in the next three months would leave no loop nor hinge for either man to hang an excuse on.

### DREWS BEAT SELBYS

Clubs	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Selbys	143	117	145	.445
Maple	142	141	181	.437
Soldaro	145	168	141	.544
Bauer	116	108	163	.417
Reinhard	134	166	152	.482

Totals 710 700 816 2226

### Drewe

Clubs	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Frick	182	170	161	.522
Johnson	118	135	138	.502
J. Doherty	154	144	127	.542
W. Doherty	145	149	136	.521
Edsavage	150	169	150	.529

Totals 772 717 712 2241

## BASKETBALL

Selby Takes Second Place

Dec. 16—Selby vs. Steel Plant.

Dec. 18—Excelsior vs. N. & W.

Dec. 22—N. & W. vs. Selby.

By defeating the Excelsiors at the Wilhelmette Hall, the Selbys jumped into second place in the Industrial League, alongside of the Preves.

The victory was earned and won by hard playing on the part of all of the Selby team. When it came to rapid passing of the ball, they had it all over their opponents, and kept the light under their basket most of the time, except when it went back to center for the toss-up. The Excelsior got it down to their end of the hall occasionally, but couldn't seem able to get it chiefly owing to the guarding of Perkinson, and when that worthy guard leaves to go to Columbus after Xmas, every team in the league will have a right of relief, while there will be weeping in the camp of the Selbys.

Stone played a good game at center, out-jumping two opponents, and also making two baskets. Dall and Quinn worked like a well-oiled machine; when one was guarded, the other was ready, and basket after basket for the Selbys was the result.

The Excelsiors played a fast game, but crippled by the fact that Barber was out of the game, could only make a small score. But they fought to the finish, like the game players that they are. Their guards were weak, giving Quinn and Dall, time after time, chances to throw for the basket without interference.

The features of the game were the basket throwing of Dall, who made twenty baskets, and guarding of Perkinson, who from start to the finish of the game, never gave an Excelsior forward a free chance at the basket.

The lineup was as follows:

Selby: Dall, RF; Quinn, LF; Stone, CF; Frazier, RG; Perkinson, LG.

Excelsior: Patton, RF; Brown, LF; Mettraw, CF; Kerner, RG; Homan, LG.

Field Goals—Dall 20, Quinn 12, Stone 2, Kerner 1, Mettraw 1.

Free Throws—Homan 7, Dall 2, Brown 1.

Score—72 to 12.

To Visit Pals

Clarence Dougherty, 1952 Eleventh street left Tuesday for Cleveland where he will visit for several days with his former comrades in the 508th transportation train.

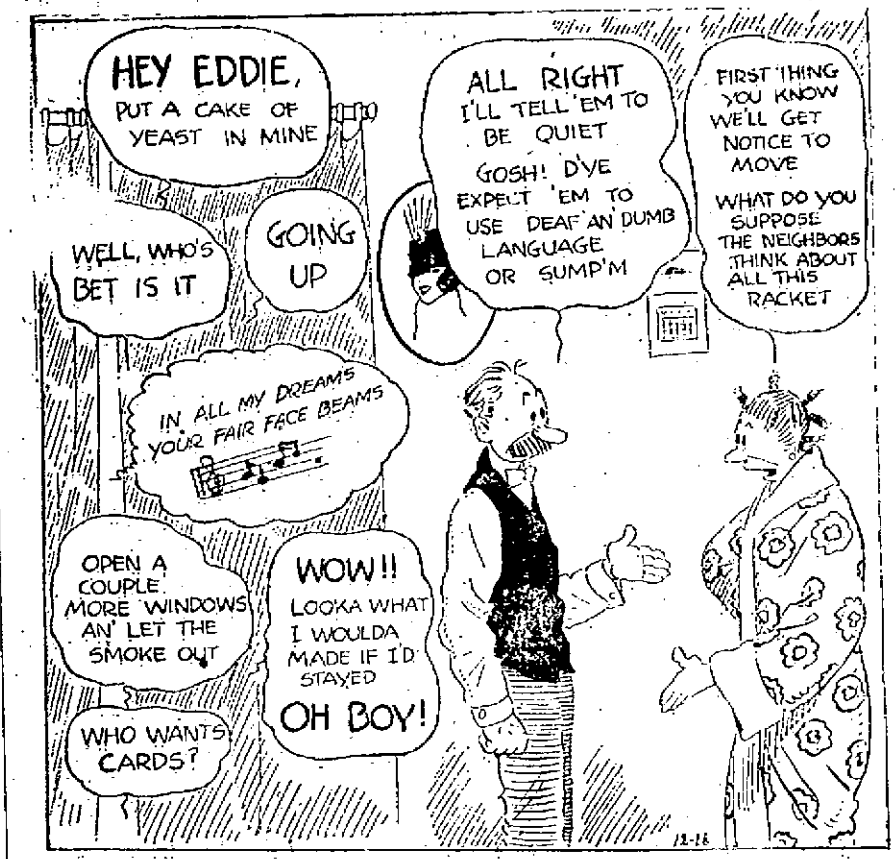
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### To Train At Brownsville

ST. LOUIS, MO., Dec. 16—The St. Louis National will depart February 1st to play a season-long exhibition tour with the Philadelphia Athletics. Their pre-season training will be done in Texas and on the way home. The Athletics will train at Lake Charles, Louisiana.

### PENNY ANTE



## Will Play Princeton

Morgantown, W. Va., December 16—West Virginia has been invited to meet Princeton again at football at Princeton October 30, 1920, and the date is accepted. It will be the second meeting between the teams. West Virginia having won last season's game, 25 to 0.

## To Raise Limit

MEMPHIS, TENN., Dec. 16—A policy of expansion is prevalent on the eve of the annual meeting of the Southern league here. According to the general feeling around the circuit, the player limit will be increased from 14 to 15 and the salary limit of \$2800 of last season increased to probably \$3200.

## Letters Awarded

HUNTINGTON, Dec. 16—The Board of Control of Huntington High School, yesterday, at the recommendation of Coach Harry Wilson, awarded football letters to the following members of this year's team: John Stuart, Clarence Fizer, Ernest Martin, Fernmore Workman, Donald Morrison, Page Hay, Noel Hagan, Earl Burton, Charles Britten, Stuart Carter, Russ Sagraves, Walter Brown and John McVey.

### Says Sentiment For Cox Is Strong In West

C. E. "Gene" Bertrick, connected with the State Securities Department at Columbus, was the guest of honor talks at Trenton over Sunday, returning to Columbus yesterday. Mr. Bertrick has just returned from a trip of four weeks through the west, where he was looking after business connected with the securities department. He says he was not only surprised but much surprised at the favorable sentiment through the west for Governor James M. Cox for the Democratic nomination for president in 1920. He says the big political men throughout the country have given Cox in mind and regard him as one of the big men of the nation and fully qualified for the presidency. He says he also finds a great many Democrats favor William Gibbs McAdoo but he does not think the sentiment in the west is so strong now as it was a few months ago.

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## Board Issues Order

A mandate has been issued by the professional or amateur basketball board of control of the Athletic Association of P. H. S. stating that no basketball players of the High School are to take any part in any industrial tests during the Christmas vacation. The penalty set down by the Board is expulsion from High School basketball for the remainder of the season.

## To Consider Problems Of Fish And Game Conservation

COLUMBUS, Dec. 16—January 15 is the date set by Secretary of Agriculture, Warren, and Dr. Nelson of the Bureau of Fish and Game, for the biggest sportsmen's congress of the American Game Protective Association held in the middle west. Sportsmen and farmers from all parts of Ohio will be invited to Columbus to consider problems of fish and game conservation. Five thousand feet of fish and game motion pictures made last summer by the Bureau of Fish and Game will be shown. A program will be Governor James M. Cox. The banquet will be held at Hotel Desher.

## SOUTH WEBSTER TEAM BEAT VINTON

The South Webster high school basketball team defeated Vinton on the South Webster floor, Friday evening, 35 to 12. The South Webster high team is a good even balanced team that promises to be the best basketball team they have had. The game Friday evening was their third this year. They have played Lucasville 20 to 11 and Vinton on their home floor in the previous game 47 to 14.

The lineup follows:

South Webster: Cook, R. F.; Scott, L. F.; Potts, C.; Kittenbach, R. G.; Bandy, L. G.

Vinton: Kim, R. F.; Matthews, L. F.; Jarvis, C.; Jones, R. G.; Sennary, L. G.

## Sharkey Is In Demand

Jack Sharkey sure has jumped to the top of the bantam class—as far as the Grand A. C. of Syracuse, center forward with a guarantee of \$3500. Sharkey to box his star, Marty Collins, guaranteed \$3500 for boxing Patsy Johnson at Newark on December 22 (her 23).

## Comiskey Is Exonerated

Chicago, December 16—It was disclosed today that Charles Comiskey, owner of the Chicago White Sox, and manager chosen met in New York recently on the occasion of the annual meeting of the American League and compared notes on investigations of rumors that some of the White Sox had conspired for a financial consideration, to lose the world's series to Cleveland last fall.

Their investigations, addressed to evidence, Comiskey, who has always maintained his faith in the integrity of his players, declared that investigation had not ended, and that his offer of \$10,000 for proof was good.

Mr. Comiskey hired private detectives, and the \$10,000 offer induced independent investigators of the reputation that a gambling syndicate had conspired to lose the world's series to Cleveland last fall.

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## Hobby To Manage Akron

AKRON, O., Dec. 16—Dick Hobbs today was named manager of the Akron team in the International who was with the Boston Red Sox and league. He will report here shortly (Cincinnati Reds in the major leagues, after Christmas).

## FAINTS AND FALLS DOWN STAIRS WITH NINE MONTHS OLD BABY IN HER ARMS

Toppling forward down a flight of stairs, Tuesday night, Dr. H. M. Scott states this morning when she suffered was called to render medical aid to a fainting spell resulting from an accident to the injured mother and baby.

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## ITS WIDE SPREAD EFFECT

FOR more than two weeks past government securities have had a decidedly downward trend and reached their lowest level since issuance.

Two causes are assigned for this, the desire of large holders to anticipate income tax returns and the foreboding to sale caused generally by the coal strike.

Of the two, the latter was, probably, most potent. It is estimated there are twenty million individual bond holders. In such a condition as the strike provoked, not only among the miners themselves, but in industrial circles generally, necessity would force many wage earners to dispose of their holdings. In many instances these necessities were taken advantage of and in the eagerness to make quick big profits small buyers threw their purchases on to the market and thus further depressed it.

Of course, with improved industrial conditions prices will go up again, but severely with the rapidity with which they declined. To an extent the market is glutted and it will take it sometime to reach that stage where it can absorb offerings even to the extent that it did before the industrial situation became alarming. This, however, does not affect the inherent value of bonds, to the one who grips his teeth and holds on to them. Interest will come at regular intervals and in the course of time the bonds will sell at a premium. These two facts are absolutely certain.

Prof. W. O. Thompson, president of the Ohio State University, is taking a prominent part in the proceedings of the industrial congress at Washington. The most distinguished thing about the Prof. is the striking likeness he bears to the senior of this vehicle of fact and truth.

Is the newspaper, which says Roosevelt would have approved any means, bribery or force, to prevent the election of Henry Ford, blind in adoration or prejudice? Hard things have been said of Ford by his enemies, but never anything as wicked and stupid as that.

This thing of letting go of the bull's tail sure enough has its merits and it makes a whole lot of difference whether the thing is put up to you are the other fellow. Congress didn't approve at all of the food administration fixing the prices of sugar, but when the body said it had quit the senate quickly yelled at it to go on.

## THAT'S DIFFERENT

By Probasco



## THE EVIL LIVES AFTER

ONE wonders if the picture drawn of Vienna these days is true. If it be so much as half true then you, indeed is her lot.

Once Vienna was the gayest capital of Europe. Paris was better advertised and made more seductive by exploitation of her folly and wickedness, but in fashion and its follies travelers who have visited both cities say Vienna exceeded before the war.

After the war this all changed; want, misery, death stalk grim and raving among the homes of the high born as well as among the lowly. Vienna is starving, she is being starved to death out of the hatreds that sprang from the people's attitude toward their government, caused by the results of the world war.

The farm folks hate her. They envied the splendor and the lavishness of ante-bellum times, but they condoned and truckled to it because it meant more crumbs falling from the rich tables. Now they openly express their enmity and give deadly point to it by refusing to sell anything whatsoever to its people. For has not the city made its old arrogance past all indulgence by indulgence in the pavilions and destruction of Bolshevism and anarchy? The farm folks are naturally conservative. That which they so sorely swam, and toil for is theirs. They have no use for the idle and vicious inlander, who, too lazy to strive for himself, would enrich himself by plundering others. It is a philosophy they can not understand and a practice they can not forgive. So Vienna starves. Over-whelming is her affliction. Once a city of two million, she now has a population of less than one million. The others are gone to the grave or where else only the winds in their listing have heard babies, men, women are dying daily of starvation. All are doomed who do not flee unless some agency from the outside comes to the rescue.

Meantime Paris prepares for the most reckless year of her existence. Such is war and life.

What started that rumor that salt was the next thing set to soar sky high?

John Rockefeller objects to being assessed five millions. Who wouldn't, but then when it comes to paying taxes we notice it makes all the difference in the world as to whether you have got it or you haven't.

Guess we might as well dry up about the weather ourselves since the weather itself won't dry up.

## SHE MARRIED AN AVERAGE MAN

Eric Sands has gone. Sure as I am that it is better so, that nothing happy or profitable could come from our further or closer or friend-ship. I still have a deep and wrecked sense of loss. A sort of sadness weighs me down, as if some one who had loved to me for help and strength had been turned away without receiving it. As if some one who had offered me the best they possessed had been scorned and the precious gift declined. Which is true enough after all.

A woman loves finally. I don't care how old she is, or how wise, or how deeply interested in her own work, she longs for the loss of the thing that has spelled romance. She closes a lone chapter with tears of regret. She casts a longing, lingering look behind.

Love means so much more to a woman than to a man. That is why women are more often disappointed with marriage than men are.

I don't say it is any less the fault of the wife than of the husband that there is such a "let down" to marriage after the first few months it is only that woman's emotional nature craves constantly the stimulation of sex interest and man's does not.

She yearns to be made love to, to be thrilled, to be sentimentalized over, long after the man has settled comfortably into the pipe-and-slippers slutt.

Where is the wife who doesn't tingle with happiness if her husband unexpectedly telephones her during the day just to say hello or something?

Where is the woman to whom a letter addressed in a masculine hand does not bring a little stir of romantic expectancy?

Where is the feminine creature of any age or station in life whose spirit does not soar at even a hint of a man's admiration?

Why, I've seen women of seventy

brighten up pathetically at the thought that they were regular female deities in their day.

It is the choice of making slaves of men! Oh, yes, we poor women are a little bit of a victim of the grubs of love, or the hope of love.

Well—Eric is gone. And there is no man to whom my presence brings a thrill. No man from whom a pretty fresh brings a pretty speech of admiration. No man whose pulse is disturbed by my touch or my voice.

Jim? No. Why is it that one's husband seems never alive to impressions. Athena says he is—if you manage things right. And I must confess her John is the most complete husband I have ever seen.

I have known John to wear at dinner the tattered old gown she had on Sunday, and "be sure not to forget the amethyst necklace!"

Then he'd send a great box of violets and bring home a man to dinner, feeling as proud as a peacock.

I might wear ten thousand necklaces and a dress that was a masterpiece of artistry and I don't believe Jim would know whether I had on a gunny sack or a suit of mail.

Athena says the mistake most married women make is letting their hands "see too much of him." She quotes Nabokov's wise maxim: "The man who caters his wife's dressing room is either a philosopher or a fool."

"Never allow a husband to see processes. Never never let him run across a false ringlet or an irrelevant pencil. As you value your life do not leave your worn or unbecoming garments tossed about the room. Never let a man see the limitations of your beauty, your talents or your wardrobe. Keep him guessing!"

But I think it's all in the man, and the type he happens to be.

(To be continued)

## WHO'S WHO IN THE DAYS NEWS

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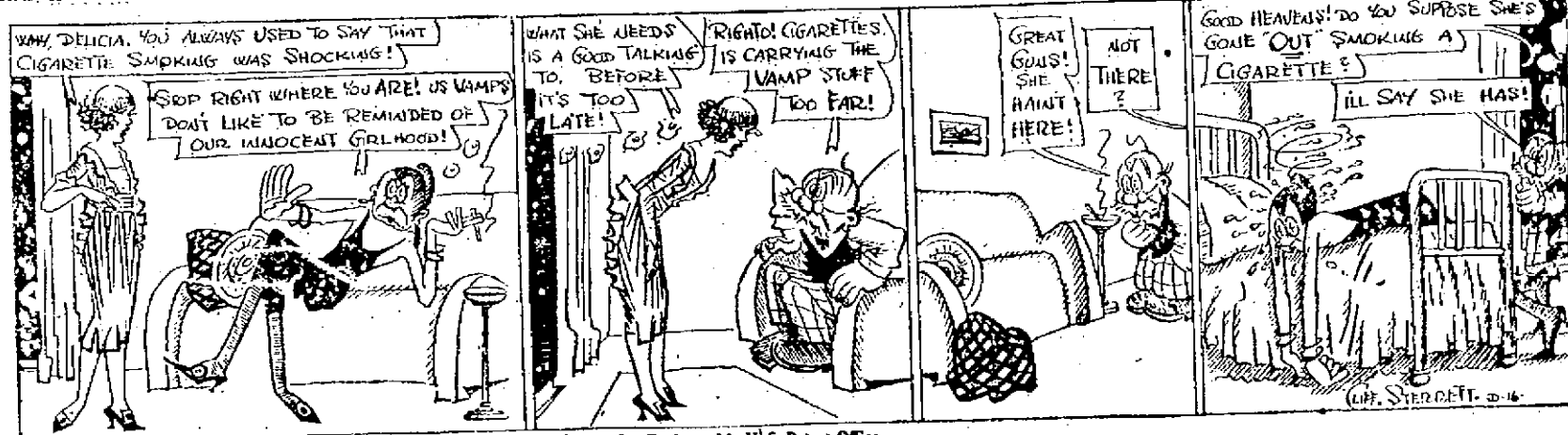
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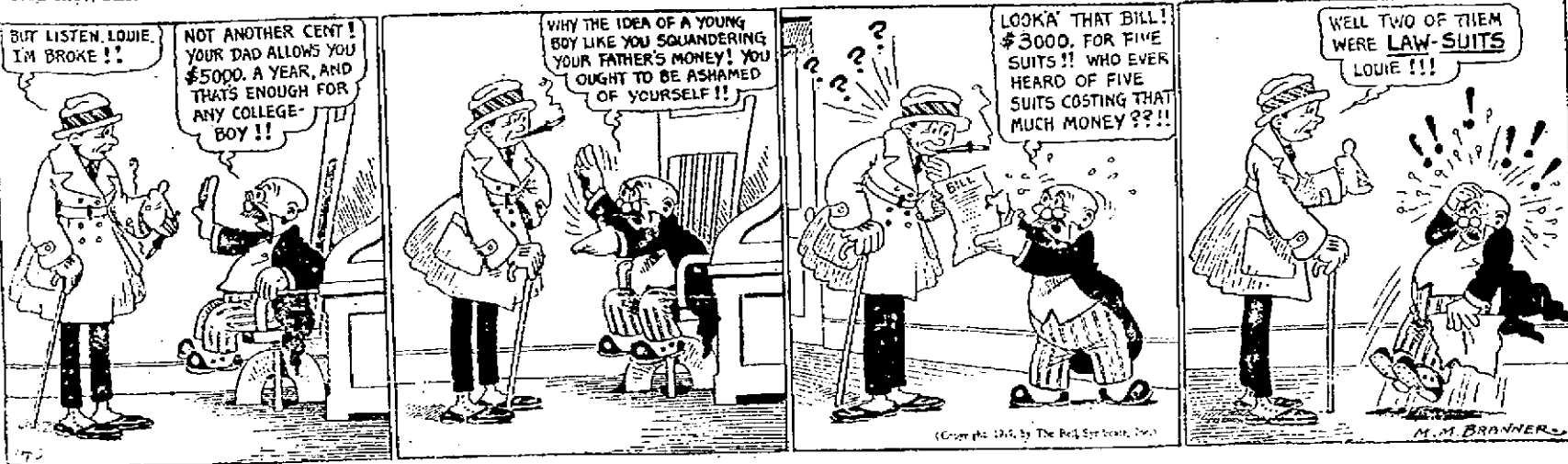


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## LOUIS THE LAWYER

## He Was Lucky To Get The Other Three

BY M. M. BRANNER



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## His Fine Training

Old Squirt Grampus—"Bill Big-short's a makin' a good rattlin' good record down that few cactus. Bill'll make 'em set up and take notice. He's had a good trainin'."

Farmer Strangem—"Yean bet. He's done nuthin' but set around Pettor's store with you an' other similar prominent legislators for th' last twenty years."

Defined—"Pa, what's a skeptic?" "A skeptic, my son, is a person who doubts anything that you are sure of."

A Good Reduction—"Doctor, I've just received your bill for the operation you performed on me. Would you cut off anything for cash?" "Yes, my dear sir, anything—on arm or leg or whatever you wish removed."

Usually Always!—"Fred—The time the place and the girl are seldom found together. Tom—True. The girl is usually half an hour late."

How He Knew—"The wicked stand in slippery places." "How do you know they are wicked?" "By the figures they use when they slip."—Boston Globe.

Unexpected—"Pat (to his mate, Miff)—'Tis always the unexpected that happens. When O' wint home late last night O' expired me wote would hit me with a power."



# Great Mob Shot By Mob

## Whitaker Has Arrived At

Whitaker, who was shot by a mob, has arrived at the hospital. He is in a critical condition. The mob was seen in the streets of Portsmouth, and several people were injured. The police are trying to locate the mob.

# WILL-ELECT DAVIS SWORN IN

The new treasurer, Herbert O. Ricker, will also be sworn in at a later meeting. A special meeting will have to be called before the first of the year so the remaining new officials can be sworn in.

# DRIVER RESIDENT KILLED BY AUTO

A driver resident was killed by an auto. The driver was driving on a road near the city. The auto was traveling at a high speed and lost control. The driver was killed instantly.

# Eight Coal Cars Derailed

Eight coal cars derailed. The cars were traveling on a track near the city. The derailed cars were caused by a broken rail. The cars were derailed one by one.

# Blames High Cost Of Loafing

The Guy Who Delivers The Goods, the fellow who delivers the goods to the door, is the one who is blamed for the high cost of loafing. The cost of loafing is high because of the high cost of living.

# Auxiliary Will Meet

The morning session of the all day meeting to have been held Wednesday, Dec. 17, by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Order of Railway Conductors of America has been called off on account of illness of the district deputy of Columbus. The first session tomorrow will be called at one o'clock. All members are requested to be present, as officers will be installed.

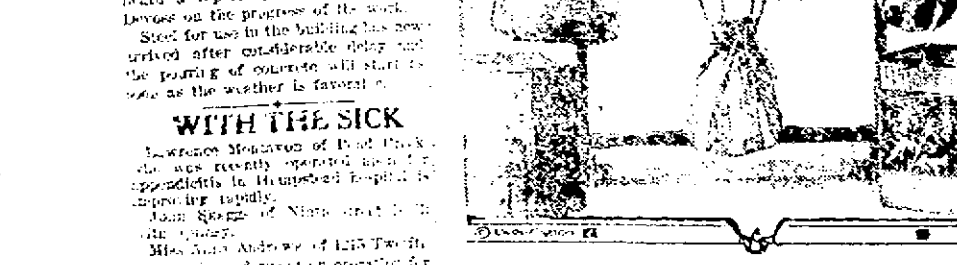
# Meeting Is Postponed

The meeting to have been held by the county commissioners tomorrow to consider the petition for annexing territory from the east corporation line of the city to a point just beyond Sciotoville, excluding New Boston and Sciotoville, has been postponed until Wednesday, January 7, on account of the illness of Commissioner W. O. Shively, of the West Side. A committee from the Chamber of Commerce and delegations of citizens of New Boston and Sciotoville had intended to be present at the important meeting tomorrow.

# Ohio Is Falling

After reaching the high stage of 44.1 late Monday, the Ohio river started to fall slowly and this morning at seven o'clock the stage registered 43.4. The river lacked several inches from getting on the top. The Chris Green passed up at 10:30 this morning for Huntington and will be down tonight at 10 for Cincinnati. The Tacoma is due up Wednesday afternoon for Charleston.

# DAINTY CHRISTMAS GIFTS MAY BE MADE AT HOME WITH LITTLE TROUBLE



Here is a group of dainty gifts, in quantities which may be just the thing you are looking for to give your Christmas list. Most of them may be made at home with very little time and trouble and not a great deal of money. As to the extreme, some of them are two "dainty" gifts or more baskets made of dainty gifts with a few dollars applied in silk. These make a very nice present for the person who is hard to please. The color scheme of the gifts is in the most pleasing colors and the gifts are in the most pleasing colors. The gifts are in the most pleasing colors and the gifts are in the most pleasing colors.

WITH THE SICK  
LAWRENCE MEDICINE OF PORTSMOUTH, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis in the hospital, is improving rapidly.  
JAMES KINGS of Nine and 10th Sts. is improving.  
Miss Anna Anderson of 1215 Twelfth St. who was operated upon for appendicitis in the hospital, is improving rapidly.

# STRECHLE FINED

Carlton Stretch, driver for the Blue Line Taxi Company, was fined \$25 and costs Monday night in police court on a charge of having driven an automobile without lights. Police charged him with having collided with an automobile belonging to James R. Dinter last Friday night, seriously damaging the Dinter machine. Mayor Kaps later suspended \$15 of the fine.

# Leave For Florida

Floyd Freeman and Arthur Weaver, N. & W. Freeman, of Barden left this morning for a trip which will carry them to Florida and points of interest in the sunny south. At Nocatee, Fla., they will visit for a few days with the latter's aunt, Mrs. John McCormick formerly of Wamsley, Adams county who has been residing in Florida for several years.

# Petition In Error

A petition in error and a bill of exceptions was filed today in the Scioto county court of appeals in the case of Walter E. Finney against Cora E. Finney through which the plaintiff seeks to reverse the judgment of Judge Robert Grimes in vacating a decree granting Finney a divorce. Attorney R. F. Kimble represents Finney.

# Will Report On Campaign

The auditing committee of the Chamber of Commerce directorate, appointed Monday by President Alan N. Jordan, met at the Chamber headquarters this morning to audit the receipts and expenses of the recent membership campaign. A complete report of the financial end of the campaign will be made at the meeting of the directorate tomorrow.

# New Jurors Drawn

On the order of Judge Thomas, the names of 12 additional jurors were drawn from the wheel yesterday by Clerk of Courts Edward Cunningham and Sheriff Ricker in order to supplement the list of present petit jurors, several of whom were finally excused the past few days.

# Held To Grand Jury

Charles Taylor, William Knebler and George Chandel, three Lucasville men arrested by the police last Saturday night upon complaint of Louis M. Distel, proprietor of the Crystal Palace billiard parlor in the East End, were bound over to the grand jury Monday night by Mayor Kaps on charges of having obtained money under false pretenses.

# Milk Bottle Thieves Busy

Residents of the various Hilltop sections have complained to the police about milk bottle thieves being active in those sections. In many instances the bottles as well as the small change have been taken.

# Brotherhood Will Meet

An important meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Evangelical church will be held tonight at 7:30 in the Men's Bible class room at 7:30 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present as the annual election of officers will be held this evening.

# Edwards Is Found Guilty

After thirty minutes deliberation, the jury in Common Pleas court returned a verdict of guilty Monday afternoon in the case of Charles F. Edwards, proprietor of a manufacturing plant, charged with unlawful sale of poisons. The charge grew out of the sale of rat poison to local residents.

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# Wants Property Here

William Tractor, of Waverly, who has been working here for some time, has been offered a job by a local resident. The job is a very good one and the man is very well qualified for it.



U. S. submarine R-6 on rocks near New London. The U. S. submarine R-6 was swept onto Black Rock recently by a gale which swept Long Island Sound. The sub was anchored to the mother ship Camden with five other submarines. The R-6 was released for help and two men were tried to get her off the rocks. Half the boat's crew was taken on board the Camden with the aid of small boats. The photo shows the stranded sub.

# Lecture This Evening

Every citizen in Portsmouth who is interested in a memorial project in honor of the Scioto county soldiers and sailors who served in the late war is urged to attend the lecture to be given at the high school auditorium tonight, at 8 o'clock by Walter Storey, representing the New York Bureau of Memorial Buildings. Mr. Storey will bring to Portsmouth practical ideas on the subject of "living" memorial buildings together with an outline of what has been accomplished in communities throughout the country which have undertaken such projects.

# Two Fires Last Night

The companies from two fire stations were summoned to the vicinity of Ninth and Grimes avenue shortly after five o'clock yesterday afternoon by a fire of unknown origin which had started in a new house under construction for Dr. Walter Trautman. The blaze probably started from a fire left in the house by workmen and was extinguished with a small loss.

# SEEK NEW TRIAL

A new trial is sought in the celebrated Crowe will contest case in a motion filed today by Attorneys Blair and Blair for the proponents of the will, who lost the first round of the legal battle through the verdict returned Saturday by the jury, which heard the case in common pleas court.

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